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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

THE DOLLAR:

To-day's closing rate 2/3 15/16. (Reuter's Service the China Mail.) To-day's opening rate 2/3 15/16,

BRITISH BUDGET.

NCOME TAX REDUCED SIXPENCE.

PENNY A PINT LESS ON BEER.

LONDON, April 16. Budget shows a surplus of thirty-six Tea and sugar are unchanged but there are the following reductions:-income tax, sixpence beer a penny a pint; corporation tax one half. The question of a tax on betting has been referred to a

THE CHANCELLOR'S SPEECH.

LONDON, April 16. General expectation of reductions in taxation caused unusual interest in Mr. Baldwin's budget. waiting to secure seats at seven in the morning and. the House was packed when Mr. Balwin rose. He being drawn up in Paris giving Lithuania the soverdwelt on the improvement in trade and the dimin- eighty of Memel. ution of unemployment. Last year Government securities appreciated and savings bank deposits increased. The surplus of 101 millions was employed in reduction of the debt. The surplus was really due to the reduction of expenditure by 247 millions in two years. He hoped to effect further ecomomies in the current year. If any Department presented debt out of revenue. The estimated expenditure was £816,586,000 whereof £380,470,000 was debt charges. Revenue customs and excise were six millions less than last year. It was not anticipated that there would be another good year from death duties or income tax. The total revenue on the basis of existing taxation was £852,650,000 leaving a surplus of thirty-six millions.

REDUCTION OF TAXATION.

The increase in the sale of surplus material was largely responsible for the surplus. Provision. would be made to deal with evasion of the income tax. The tax on betting greatly attracted him (cheers) but he had had notime to investigate it fully, therefore he intended to refer the matter to a select Committee. He was prepared to take risks in the matter of the reduction of taxation, including reduction in the parcel post on heavier letters, also the reduction of foreign letters to twopence halfpenny and the reduction of the rental of telephones to and the rate-at public call offices. This would involve a loss of £1,900,000. In view of the reduction last year there would be no further relief in respect of tea and there would be no change in sugar (Labour protests) as owing to special circumstances the consumer would not benefit from a reduction in the duty. He hoped, however, that a reduction would be possible at an early date. The beer duty would be reduced a penny a pint and part of the reduction would be borne by the brewers. The cost of the reduction was estimated at thirteen millions. This year there would be a reduction in the duty on sweetened table waters. The cider duty was abolished as it was unimportant revenue. The abolition was of some importance to agriculture. The income tax would be reduced by sixpence, costing twenty six millions in the full year and nineteen millions this year. anticipated. The corporation tax would be halved: Altogether the reductions would cost thirty four millions this year and forty seven millions for the full year. They had gone to their utmost limit to relieve the PROPOSED WEST AUSTRALIAN BASE. taxpayer without impairing the credit of the nation.

DEBT REDUCTION. The Chancellor said that during the four years ... internal debt was reduced: £219,500,000 since last miral Henderson.

year and was now £810,000,000. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald congratulated Mr. Baldwin on his stand against postponing debt reduction.

DEFICIT ON TEA

Mr. Baldwin in his Budget speech mentioned that there was a deficit in respect of the estimate on tea, the reduction of the duty not having increased the consumption to the extent anticipated. BUDGET RESOLUTIONS AGREED TO.

The Budget resolutions were agreed to.

IMPERIAL ECONOMIC CONFERENCE

CROWN COLONIES' REPRESENTATION

LONDON, April 16. In the House of Commons Capt Berkeley suggested that in view of the economic importance of the Crown Colonies the leaders and elected members of Legislative Councils and the most recently retired ex-Governors of each of the principal. Colonies should be invited to attend the imperial economic conference in an advisory capacity. Mr. Bridgeman replied that he was not in a position at present to add to the previous replies.

NEW U.S. LIGHT CRUISER LAUNCHED

The light cruiser Trenton, which is one of ton being built, has been launched.

POLAND AND LITHUANIA.

GERMANS SAID TO BE MAKING TROUBLE.

WARSAW, April 16. There has been further trouble between Poland and Lithuania owing to the Lithuanian Premier Galvanauskas notifying the Council of the League of Nations that Lithuania intends to contest the decision of the Council in regard to a Polish Lithuanian neutral zone before the Hague Arbitration Court and reserving the right to déclare war on Poland from the beginning of May. The Polish press is indignant and accuses Lithuania of desiring at any cost to provoke war. They allege German instigation and the existence between. Twenty members of the House of Commons were Berlin and Koenigsberg of a secret arms depot. It says Poland cannot now be asked to sign the statute

BRITISH TRADE IN DUTCH INDIES.

SCHEME FOR REPRESENTATION.

LONDON, April 16.

a supplementary estimate it must be met by savings British Industries for co-operative representation of British manufacturers in the Dutch Indies promises to be a success. Mr. R. Neil Williams, the representative who will take charge of the interests of the firms concerned is going to Java on April 27. It was originally proposed that the scheme should include thirty manufacturers but in view of the size and importance of the firms who have joined and the desire to make the representation of each firm. as efficient as possible it has now been decided to reduce the membership to twenty. -

NEW RUHR MEASURES.

THREE FRENCH MINISTERS ARRIVE.

DUESSELDORF, April 16. M. Maginot, M. Delasteyric, and M. Letroquer, the French Ministers of War, Finance and Public Works respectively, have arrived to carry out the new measures on the Ruhr-decided upon at the Franco-Belgian conference in Paris. MORE OFFICIALS EXPELLED

COBEENCE, April 16. The inter-Allied Rhineland Commission has ordered the expulsion of a further 1236 German. officials, chiefly railwaymen.

FRENCH POSTPONE ESSEN FINE.

BERLIN, April 16, The French have postponed the payment of the fine of 105,000,000 marks recently imposed on Essen in respect of the murder of a French soldier.

ARMIES OF OCCUPATION.

AGREEMENT MAY BE DIFFICUL'I.

PARIS, April 16. At a meeting of the committee on the expenses of armies of occupation the European delegates decided to adjourn the discussion in order to consult their respective Governments. Owing to the new objections by Mr. Wadsworth, the American delegate, as a result of his latest exchange of telegrams with Washington, it is now expected that agreement, will be more difficult of attainment than was firstly

IMPERIAL DEFENCE.

MELBOURNE, April 16, ended on March 31 the external debt was reduced for developing a naval base at Singapore, the by £209,000,000 net. He explained that our Can- Common wealth Government has deferred action as adian debt could be regarded as settled. The regards the West Australian base proposed by Ad-

LAUSANNE CONFERENCE

RUSSIA NOT INVITED.

LONDON, April 16. In the House of Commons replying to Commander Kenworthy, Mr. McNeill said Russia had not been invited to the conference at Lausanne.

IRISH TRANSPORT STRIKE

CROSS-CHANNEL SERVICES SUSPENDED.

LONDON, April 16 Cross-Channel services between Liverpool, Dublin and Durdilk have been suspended owing to a strike of the Irish Transport-workers Union against a national reduction of scafarers wages.

JAPANESE MOTOR SMASH VICTIMS.

PARIS, April 16 Princess Kitashirakawa and Prince Asaka continue to improve.

AMERICAN GRAIN TRADING LAW:

WASHINGTON, April 16. The Supreme Court has declared that the grain trading law is valid and constitutional. (Continued On Page 9.)

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month of March. Stated population ... 134.501 The Government Analyst's reports show cha: the quality of the water is estisfac.

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A very large oil depot is to be established near Canvey Island in the Thames. It is understood that the expenditure involved will be sterling.

* While kneeling at his bedside saying his prayers, Mr. William Mason, of Hayes, Middlesex, had a heart seizure and died. Aged 67. he was for many years chairman and sidesman at Hayes Parish Church.

illustrating Prof. been screened at Amsterdam.

Beef Sirietn,-Mei Lung Pa ... Ib. 28

. Prime Out

" Corned,-Ham Ngau Yok. "

.. Roast,—Shiu

Bosp,-Tong Yuk

8 Steak, -- Ngau Yuk Pa

Breast,-Ngan Nam 24

Steak Sirloin,-Ngan Lau .. 34

Ballook's Brains,-Ngau No por seb 14

Sausagos, - Ngau Choung ,, 20

Tongue, fresh,-Ngan Li each 80

Tongue, corned,-Ham Ngau La

Hoad,-Ngau Tau... each 1.10

Heart,-Ngau Sam ... Ib. 15

Hump, Balb-Ngau Kin ,, 24

Foet,-Ngau Kouk...cach 15

Kidneys,-Ngau Yiu ...

tan-kenk se ses \$1.20

Leg,-Yeung Pel ... 36

Shoulder,-Young Shau .. 34

Saddle, -Young On Yok ,; 38

Calvee' Head and Feet,-Ngau-test-

Matton Chop,-Yeung Pel Kwat 1b. 26

Pig'4 Chitilings, -Chu Chong 1 36

Brains, -Ohu No per set

Foot,-Chu Keuk ... ib. 15

" Fry.-Chu Chap 40

.. Hasd -Chu Tau 18

.. Kidneys,-Chu Yiu ... each 10

., Liver,-Chu Ron ... ib. 40

Pork Chop,-Ohu Pat Kwah 30

.. Leg.-Chu Pel... 30

.. Loin,-Chu Hau Tun ... , 18

"l cop's Head and Foet,--Young

Fat or Lard, -Chu Yau. . 12

Tau-Keuk... ... set 70

Heart -- Young Sam ... each 10

Kidneys,-Young Yiu each 16

Liver,-Yeung Kon ... Ib. 36

Sausages,-Ngsu Teal Cheung 20

No. 1 ... Ib. 28

Fish.

. Hot Sin Yn ,,

Sucking Pige, to order, -- Chu Teni, 25

Suct, Boof, -Shang Ngan Yan 26

Sarbal,-Ka Yum ...

Broam,-Pin Yu.

Cabilsh -Ohik Yu

Codfish,-Mun Yu

Orabe,-Hales no see see see

Cattle Fish,-Muk Ya

Dab Sha Mang Yu 32

Dace,-Wong Mei Lap 16

Dog Fish, -Th To Sha , 10

Rels, Conger,-Hol Man 24

Fresh water, Tam Shul Yu ... 24

Yellow -- Wong Bin ... 38 Frogs,-Tin Kalan and and it 55

Ondgeon, -Pak Kap Yu 16

Hallbot - Chenny Kwan Kapen, 16

Garoupa, Shek Panest on the se

Herrings,-Tso Pak

Labris,-Worlg Pa Yu sed see 15

Monk Fish, -- Mong Yu see see se

Lonch,-Wa Ku

Lobsburs, -- Long Ha ...

Mackerel - Chi Yu ...

Oyaters,-Shang Ho ...

Prayris, -Ming E a

Bay, Pri Pa Sha.

Reach -- Char Yu

Shark - Sha Xu -

Spapper Lap Ya

Mullet,-Test Tu.

Parrot Fish, - Hat Kung Yu

Pike, - Fa Pan Fong

Pomfred White, Pak Chong ...

Turbot - Too Hat Tu /

Parties, small fresh water.

Plalos - Pan Yn.

Pemiret, Black,-Hak Chong

Canten Fresh Water Fish,-

Carp, LI Yu

, Mutton, Shang Young Yau .. 36 Veal,-Ngau Teal Yuk. 24

Heart,-Ohu Sam ... m such 10

-Ngau Mel

Liver,-Ngau Kon. 1b. 16

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Butcher Meat.

April 11, June 1923, 1918.

Mr. George F. Lewis, Fire Marshal of the Province of Ontario has estimated that there are '900 motion picture theatres in Canada, representing an investment of thirty million dollars. There are 30 film exchanges valued

Entering a third class carriage at the Gare du Nord for Chantilly one evening, a passenger saw a parcel lying on the rack (says a Paris correspondent). He opened it and found it contained £11,000. approximately a quarter of a million | The parcel was handed over to the police, and later it was discovered that it had been left behind by an official of the French Ministry of

> The recent dancing feats accomplished by dancers in Glasgow and former case) are not world records. He issued a challenge to this effect. | Burns."

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Hodgson's, London, were two interesting letters written by R. L Stevenson to Professor Spencer Baynes, editor of the "Encyclopædia Britannica," one, dated Skerryvore, December 12, 1885, in Yorkshire (81/2 hours in the referring to an article on Shakespeare :- "I was much struck and The world's longest dance lasted much enlightened. . . Did it 14 hours 8 minutes, and was per- strike you that the father is Einstein's work during the recent formed in Paris in 1906, by an Micawber?" This made £9; and eclipse which has been published Italian named Corsini. Desnite £8, 5s, was given for the other, in by the German Colonna Film the long period intervening, Cor- which Stevenson says he would Gesellschaft under the supervision sini is still confident that he can "like very much to do Beranger, of several German Professors, has hold his record against all-comers. especially in connection with

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Ohicken,-Kal a. ... ib.

Ospone, Small, -- Sin Hal ,

Capons, Large,-Sin Ka ,

Duck,-Ap 32

Doves,-Pan Kan ... Each ... 17 35

Eggs, Hen,-Kal Tan (conking) per dor 10

Eggs, Hen,-Kal Tan (freeh) ... per dos. 30

Fowle, Canton,-Kai... ... 1b. 60

Fowls, Halnan,-Hot Nam Kat ., 40

Geese,-Ngo 35

Pigeons, Canton,-Pak Kap, each 50

Turkeye, Cock,-Fo Kal Kung 1b. 60

Suipe,-Sha Tsui... ... each ...

Almonds,-Hang Yan lb. 65

Apples, (California),-Kam Shan

Calambola, -Yenng To

Coccanuts, -Ye Tes each to

Lamons, China, -Ling Mung ... Ib. 15

Oranges, Tim Chang 24

Pears, (Cantau), Cooking, -Sha ht ,, 12

Peanuts,-Fa Shang ,, 12

Persimmons, Large,-Hung Tee ...

Plantain,-Tai Chiu 4

Pumelo, Slam,-Trim Lo Yau ...each 12

Walnuts,-Hop To lb. 15

Grapes,-Po TaiPI's

Artichokes,-Ah Chi Cheuk ... eact '9

Beans, Sprous,-Nga Tso ... b 3

Bitter Squash,-Bu Kws

Cabbage Chineso, (common),-

(Small).

Bripfals, Green,-Ching Yun Kwa .. . 6

Long. Tar Kok

Book Rook,-Hung Twoi Tau ... , 2each.

Red -Hune Kee 8

(Shanghal)-Ye Tool ... 10

Caus Shoots, banch,-Kau Shun ,, ...

Cauliflower (Large),-Te Teol Fa such 20

Carrow,-Kam Shunes ... lb . 6

Chillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chia . 20

Carry Stuff, English,-Ka Li Chr Liu

Oucumbers, -Ching Kwa ... osch 3

Garlio Sun Tau ... lb. 5

Ginger young -- Sun Tee Keung ...

Horsersdish, Shaughal,-Ide Kan ,,

Indian Corn, Shuk Mal each

Lettuce -- Young Shang Teol ... Ib.

Water Obestoute, -- Ma Tal ... 1b.

Mushrooms, Fresh, Shang Too Ku lb.

Onlone, Gross, -Chang Chang Ib.

Paraley,-Kno Tool

Potato, Sweet, - Fan Shu

Pumpkin Tung Kwa

Radiabe Hang Lo Pak Tell

Rhubarb (Fresh) - Tel Wong ...

Spinson - Tin Trol

Incestors .- Full K.S.

Shallots, -- Rong Chong Tau

Turnips, Panis, (Long), -Lo Pak ,

Lily mot -- Lin Resu...

Vegetable Marrow, -- Tale Kwa...

Water Cross,-Sal Toung Ted...

Onlone, Shanghal, Shoung-hol.

Onlows, Bombay, Yearng Chung Ten 16, 10

Japanese, -Yat Pun Shu Tal Ib ...

American, Fa Ki Shu Teal Ib.

Mandarin,—Kwai I am Ma Tul

Chang Tau

Ginger, old,-Lo Knung

Green,-Ching Lat Chia .. 18

Celery Chinese, Tong Kan Teci ...

(Mediam), n 15

Red,-Hung Fa Chiu ... , 20

Bananas, (bride'e), Macao, -San

Lemons, (America),-Kam Bhan

Lichees, Dried, (small stone).-

Oranges, (Canton), Sweet-

Turkeys, Hen,-Fo Kat Na 11

Quall.-Om Chan

Pheasant,-Shan Kalas and and

Partridges,-Che Ku

Helhow, -Hol Han Pak Kap

Fruits.

Ping Ko , 25

Henng Chiu .. 6

Ling Mang ... esch 7

Lai Chi Ron ib. 32

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ply of skilled labourers. dlemen;

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The TRANSFER HOOKS of Company will be CLOSED from Monthe 20rd April, 1923, until Saturday, the 28th April, 1923, both By Order of the Board,

WALTER J. HAWKER, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 16, 1923.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-EIGHTH OR-DINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of THE SHANGHAI HOTELS, LIMITED, will be held at THE HUNGKONG HOTEL, Hong-kong on SATURDAY, the 28th April, 1923, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the Board of Direc-Course, Hongkong Club and Cause tors for the year ended the 31st December, 1932, and confirming the Entries close on Saturday, 21st appointment of the Directors and the

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 26th April, 1923, until. Saturday, the 28th April, 1923, both

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right hand. Do not read in a dim, read when lying down. If in semi-reclining position, take-the samo precautions as regards light as for an erect position, and have Bargain For Sale.-Dinner the head and shoulders supported suit only made in Jan." Cost with the light falling from the back. \$100 will sacrifice for \$70. Apply Position is always important in the case of the eyes; trying to read in huddled position may strain the Dotted veils and the closemesh variety are bad for the eyes.

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Tea And Typhoid.

Major J. G. M'Naught, an Army surgeon, has found that the typhoid germ, in pure culture, becomes greatly diminished in numbers by an exposure of four hours to tea. After twenty hours it was impossible to recover it at all from the NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that cold tea. He recommends the use the ORDINARY YEARLY of cold ten as a substitute for water HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, Service. Major M'Naught suggestshould drink tea. If prepared in the proper manner tea, according to physicians, constitutes a refreshing and not harmful beverage for it is the tannin and other extractives which are drawn, and only after continued steeping, that are productful of harmful consequences. "Boiled the tea gives a copper'y cont to the stomach and a saffron hue to the

Amenities Of Prison Life.

The four Lamontagne Brothers, including Réné (he famous international poloist, convicted of supplying high-grade liquors to fashion-able New York society, were inter-rupted at a game of bridge to accompany the Sheriff to the County Jail Newark, New Jersey, to serve their sentence of four months' imprisonment. Despite the early hour, a

camera brigade and some reporters task to their Member. Like a good were on hand to record the depar- man and true, he placed the petition ture of the quartet, who, before in the bag that hange for that pur-Prohibition, were rather prosper- but, prompted by some evil angel; ougly engaged as distillers. Each be at the same time wrote his name was simply dressed, and carried a on the paper, provided for the pursuit-case. The marshal, with two pose, as presenting the petition on assistants, escorted the prisoners by the floor of the House, thus setting as are motor-cars, railway locomo- tube to Newark, thence by a short in motion two rival pieces of matives, and many other beautiful and tramear ride to jail, which Rene, chinery for achieving the same puzzling things. But in a recent who seemed less depressed than the purpose. Petitions are reserved interview, no less an authority than others, described as "a really fine immediately after prayers and Sir John Lavery, speaking of the place, better than we expected." before questions. Mr. Gray, all something was done about him. ing cells. There is no work for pri- Speaker's voice called on Mr. Gray. Ho's been getting very shabby soners in Newark Jail, except floor- He rose. He looked blankly about washing for penalty purposes, and him. What was he to do? He visitors are received on Tuesday couldn't say "Yes?" or "What do If you have been doing close work and Friday afternoons. There are you want?" to the Speaker; and he during the day, rest your eyes in free shaves, free baths, electric evidently had put the petition out the evening. When writing, take a lighting, and library privileges, and of his mind as soon as he had deposition to ensure a left-hand light-while the cost of food is officially posited it in the bag. Some kindly because of the shadow cast by the estimated at 10d. per day-one pays friend jogged his memory; and, "I the same price for a cup of coffee beg to present a petition," he said, flickering or dazzling light: Do not and toast in a working-class restau- firmly, and sat down. "Will the rant here—rations may be supple. Hon Member please Jay it on the mented by private funds. Mon- table of the House?" said the tague, the eldest brother, said the Speaker, blandly. Here was inplace looked pretty good to him for deed a dilemma at which the

> writer, Toby Junior awards first sented to the Clerk at the table a prize for presence of mind in trying crumpled copy of the "Votes and circumstances to Mr. Frank Gray, Proceedings of the House of Comthe Member for Oxford. As in the mons" (very mre but in poor concase-of-many-other towns, the dition), and, whispering in guilty sent a petition against prolefarian made good his retreat behind the Sunday Schools, and entrusted the Speaker's chair.

> a short stay, and very much like an hardiest might have been forgiven hotel, and far better than the old for quailing. But Mr. Gray, in no debtors' prison in the Fleet Dickens sort out of countenance, marched towards the table, annexing Mr. Ian Macpherson's order paper on the way; and, amidst admiring The Outlook's Parliamentary cheers and eries of "Read it," pre-

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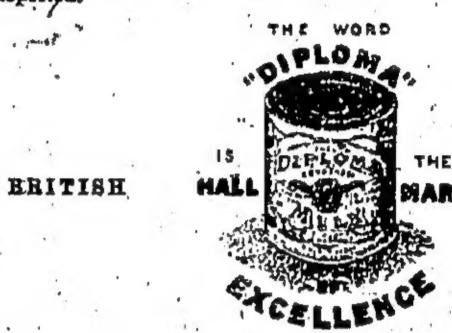
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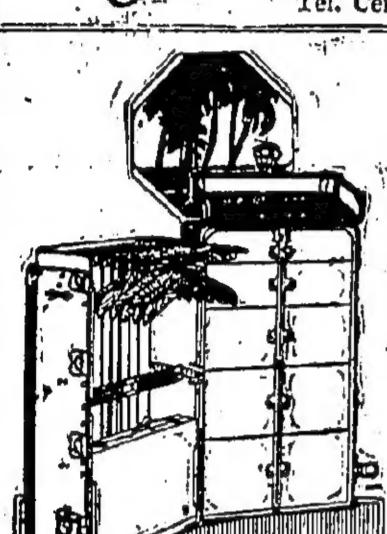
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THE HONGKONG WAR MEMORIAL.

The mills of the average Hongkong committee grind slowly, but mostly they grind exceeding small. Thus, after many long de-Jays, our War Memorial Committee; more than once posted missing, has now completed arrangements which will accord with the Colony's best traditions. Not only shall we have the Cenotaph now being erected on the "finest site," but we shall also have a nursing but home up-to-date in every respect. The first will cost \$60,000 and the second \$1,000,000. Addressing subscribers yesterday evening, Sir Paul Chater, the Committee's Chairman, explained that when the proposed club scheme broke down permission was obtained from Sir Edwin Lutyens to use his famous London Cenotaph design. shall be set apart for free patients. The replica now being built here Having accepted these conditions will be unveiled, it is hoped, on the Committee has established the Empire Day, May 24. The nursing principle of free treatment. Pre- Leader Williams, an engineer, and economy is shown is that of the University.— If, by cutting down to the Docks manager, who asked in search of health with Mrs. V. M. Chater who felt that it would be a makes heavy annual subsidy, the free wards will lack nothing com- and later at the Schools of the whore spin only man beautiful and later at the Schools of the whore spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the Schools of the whole spin only man and later at the schools of the whole spin only man and later at the schools o promised a like sum. Eventually the Government granted a sitewelve acres 700 feet above sea enough Ex-Service men, especialevel-and guaranteed \$200,000, roviding the community subscribe dan equal amount. Later it was | should be entitled to this treatment, funti that the \$400,000 thus pro- not rs a concession, but as a right. dised was not enough to provide a Moreover, this right must not be the period between January 21, \$1,878 on Physical Maintenance The new accounts have much

Granville Sharp Estate as from January I, last year. This course increased the building fund \$150,000 and provided a subsequent annual endowment \$70,000. These sums, together with the contributions promised, make \$000 000. That the remaining \$100,000 will be speedily forth- British Chamber of Commerce at coming Hongkong generosity makes clear beyond any doubt. Whatever pet theories may have been held before, now that this scheme has been definitely adopted, the Committee will have the widest support. With many disputes of the far past it is now idle to tamper, but one later controversy must be recalled if the nursing home is not to belie the war memorial part of its name. When the Committee a Tokyo telegram of the 9th inst. finally accepted the nursing home scheme, the Chairman, answering questions, said that patients, should be free would receive "sympathetic consideration." Yesterday Sir Paul Chater read the conditions attachvides that two wards, named after the late Mr. Granville Sharp, and in the stormy weather. or his wife Matilda Lincolne Sharp, with others, will always. gain, ready admission. That, however, is not ly those still suffering from war complaints like fever and nerves,

already occupied; it must apply also to the other wards. Ex-Service men form a special class whichunfortunately - grows smaller every year. The Cenatoph expresses our tribute to the unreturning brave. The nursing home must express our practical thanks to the living. . Unless it does this, however much it benefits the community, its name will be a mere travesty. And that, Hongkong, which owes so much to these men, will surely never allow.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Mahomedan fasting month begins to-day.

Regiment are to be tried by court morninal figure of \$4,000, and has expense of printing our recent. The Kwangsi forces launched sur-

A gas-fitter's hand was severey burnt when he was working on gas-pipe which exploded in a house in Tai Yuen Street.

A Chinese has been detained, pending inquiries, in connection with the shooting of Mr. Chan Wing-hsin. He was arrested in a Wanchai teahouse.

Among the criminal session cases down for hearing next Mon-Chinese while there are several with intent to kill.

Liverpool to Hongkong in the good Tuesday 20th March, via Brindisi, which interest had been credited in has also been rendered more effiwhich were delivered to her at

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. Will Hender, the Jazz expert, is now playing at the Adelphi Hotel in Singapore.

Major W. G. St. Clair, the former veteran Editor of the Singapore Free Press, is now living in Ceylon.

Mr. D. M. Horne, for ten years with the Bombay-Burma Trading Co., in Siam, died at Home on March 26.

cently married at home, has settled is slowly rising, and the question ment has become better equipped. Rumjahn, the young Indian who cession headed for the centre of the down on his own property. "The Eddystone," Hockley, in Essex.

at Shanghai, goes Home on leave shortly, being replaced by Mr. G. S. Moss, at present Vice-Consul at

the world to win a wager of 560,000 francs, has arrived in Singapore from Rangoon.

Shanghai, left for Home on leave on the 14th inst. Mr. P. Campbell is Acting Secretary. Licut. T. R. Beatty, R.N., H.M.S.

Magnolia," was awarded £5 and

certificate of merit for fourth place

in the result of last year's Naval History Essay competition: Mr. Matakichi Orguru, manager \$2,200. of the N. Y. K. Singapore Office, will be transferred to the manager-

On the arrival of the P. & O. liner "Kaisar-i-Hind" at Plymouth ing to the use of Sharp Estate from Gibraltar, it was reported that surplus and one of the these pro- a passenger, Captain C. C. O. Mackwood, was missing. He is believed to have fallen overboard

last evening.

has been appointed to succeed with it. Commission appointed in May, there are excesses of \$4,261 on have been found.

OUR UNIVERSITY. LAST YEAR'S BALANCE SHEET.

> IN A SENSE SATIS-FACTORY!"

Vice-Chancellor, Bir William into thorough repair (in connection) Brunyate, accompanies the Hong- with which the assistance of the kong University accounts for the Public Works Department bas to be year 1922 :--

show receipts of \$351,282 as against of buildings has been exceeded by Yunnan troops patrol the Bund and an estimate of \$341,910, and ex- \$693, owing to the extension of the guard Dr. Sun's headquarters penditure of \$341;181 as against an policy already initiated of improving the Cement Works. estimate of \$341,572 leaving a sur- the standard of repair of our build. Sun Yat-sen has issued orders

estimate. "Matriculation and more than a matter of account; the account of the outbreak given Local Examination Fees" appear- 'Printing and Stationery' shows yesterday's China Mail :-Two privates of the King's ed in the estimates at the purely an excess of \$344, but has borne the mate. Again, \$900 is shown as Maintenance cannot in fairness be received for house rent from the attributed to that department; it

is offset by the corresponding ex- work done for other departments, tion of the Chairs of Surgery and is that with our present staff. Anatomy as a consequence of the mechanics, carpenters, etc., it Bank current accounts and Shang- in expedition. I

the estimates. The loss under the cient. Our wood-working machin-A considerable part of the deficit is, a special grant for equipment would Mr, C. F. Garstin, H. M. Consul of course, due to the exceptional probably be necessary, and a credit cost of provisions during and after of \$1,500 for the purpose was openthe seamen's strike. On the other ed by the Finance Committee in the hand, "Graduation Fees" show an course of the year. The excess on increase of \$825 over the estimate, "Fuel, stores, etc.," is to be attri- Lay, due in part to an increase in the buted mainly to the excessive cost M. Joseh Lefert, a Belgian number of graduates but mainly to of fuel during and after the strike. aviator, who is on his way round the fact that students passing their As regards other items on the while the Book-store shows a profit against an estimate of \$3,500.

ship at Hongkong, according to ceipts has been shown to be mainly matter and has recommended the a matter of account, it follows that fees to be increased and that candithe surplus must be attributed to dates be allowed to take a limited H.E. the Governor accompanied underspendings. A sum of appro- number of subjects only for the by Capt. Neville and Mr. Eric Rice, ximatoly \$2,400 is to be attributed normal fee. Effect will be given went to Macao by the river gunboat to the fact that the items included next December to the last mentionit was intended, should pay, "Tarantula" yesterday to pay an in the Budget and now borne by ed recommendation, at any rate. official call on H.E. the Governor of the Rockefeller Trust Funds exceed The sum of \$700 shown as Bad and admitted Macao and returned to Hongkong by approximately that sum new Doubtful Debts written off is a sum expenses incident to the separation which has been due for several for the confractor to be dispensed death in London at the age of 72 spendings of \$6,370 on teaching in merly maintained by that Governthe Faculty of Arts, \$4,015 on ment at the University. teaching in the Faculty of Engineering and \$3,175 on teaching in the Faculty of Medicine these the accounts is, in a sense satis-The death is announced of Mr. vacant posts and to less lecturing on that any surplus, or apparent sur-Benjamin Leader, the eminent a part-time basis than was provided plus, is due to the ruthless cutting landscape painter. He was 92 for in the Budget. The only other out of expanditure which is necestary for Secretary for Chinese Affairs his many friends as his letters and three guild officials called received last mail were cheery and years old, and was the son of E. item on which an appreciable sary for the proper efficiency of the Secretariat on Saturday. The contemplated arriving back in years old, and was the son of E. item on which an appreciable sary for the proper efficiency of the The S.C.A. referred the delegates June. He left Kobe last October sumably, since the Sharp Estate received his art education first at extension of the refrigerating plant our cash balance, it has been pos- that the men hold the matter in Bond, daughter of Mrs. Harry the Worcester School of Design in the department of Anatomy, sible to make provision for a proper abeyance pending investigation of Woods who went as travelling comwas contemplated has not been car-appeal. The matter I should desire Sir Alexander Wood Renton, ried out, and the new Professor of to see next taken up is that of a formerly Chief Justice of Ceylon, Anatomy hopes entirely to dispense proper revision of our salary scales, has precipitated the stoppage."

1922; to inquire and report what "General Administrative Expenses" configure and report what General Advantages are represent the completion and the ascortamment of our unconfigure and report what General Advantages of \$2,160 on Engineering Repairs this year represent the completion and position from month to in respect of destruction of pro- and Maintenance, of \$272 on of the Scheme of re-organization I mixing home adequate for the limited to the free wards which 1919, and the Truce of July 11, and Equipment, and of \$1,598 on facilitated the working of our gent have assisted in the adjustment. Fuel and Stores. 19 As regards eral office, and rander very much minor details:

General Administrative Expensos," a special credit of \$1,500 was opened in connection with the Prince of Wales" visit to the Colony, of which \$1,100 proved necessary after exhausting the sum already available for "Degree Day

and Entertainments"; the estimate for " Maintenance of University Grounds" has been exceeded by NEW REVENUE SOURCES WANTED. - \$560, 'owing to the spending. some \$1,300 on putting the road The following note signed by the from the gate to the main entrance gratefully acknowledged): the esti-The accounts for the year 1922 mate for maintenance and repairs Chair of Surgery Endowment, but represents to a considerable extent penditure on bouse allowance for which would be charged to them

the Professor of Anatomy-an were it worth while to institute the arrangement incident to the separa- necessary costing system. The fact day is a charge of murder against a Rockefeller benefaction. The re- possible to carry out both repairs maining receipts correspond very and new work, at a very considerable other indictments for unlawful closely, in the aggregate, to the saving over the cost in the open possession of arms and robbery estimated total. On mortgages, market, and with an equal saving hai Debentures there is a deficit of illustration the case of the old staff-Funnel \$3,062, due as to \$1,000 to a re- quarters at the western end of Eliot Steamer "Automedon" is due in investment of mortgage monies in Hall, which were converted into Hongkong at 5 p.m. this evening, November in a mortgage the inter- rooms for students by our own carhaving made the journey from est on which is payable every three penters during the Christmas vacamonths instead of monthly and, for tion, although that item is not intime of 31 days. She has on board the rest, to non-receipt until the end cluded in the accounts under dismails posted in England as late as of the year of a benefaction on cussion. The department itself

latter head would have been heavier ery, for instance, which has hitherto had we not been able to invest a been lying idle, has now been set larger portion of our own current up and connected with our power bulances than was provided for in system. Other items of expendithe estimates. Tuition fees are also ture under this head include the \$1,695 short, due to heavier wast- transfer of the whole of the electric trict and the Cantonese troops under age of first year students than had demonstration plant formerly been allowed for. The last item housed at the rear of the main build. all co-operating in an extended cam; which falls short of the estimate ing to the main electric rooms in the paign against the Kwangei-ites. is "Profit on Hostels," at \$7,609 front basement, and the laying on against an estimate of \$10,000. in the main building of nullah water Hostel profits would have stood at for cleaning purposes a measure \$8,292 had not an amount of \$683 which will very shortly pay for itself been written off in respect of adjust- by economy in water from the H. D. RUMJAHN SCRATCHED ments in the accounts of previous mains: The increase in chemical years, but even then the deficit maintenance is in part due to an would have been regrettable. The increase in students, but I hope tennis tournament was continued well as a number from Cauton.

final examinations in May were expenditure side, University Exgiven degrees in June instead of aminations show a net cost of being kept waiting until the follow- \$1,032 against an estimate of ing January. "Gain on Exchange" \$1,150 and Matriculation and Local Mr. E. M. Gull, Secretary of the brings in an unexpected \$1,191, Examinations a net cost of \$3,280 of \$3,622, for which no provision feared at one time that, with an land, 5-7, 6-2, 6-8; R. M. Hender- Mr. He Kwong and many others was made in the estimates. I find increased number of candidates, the son and A. Brearley (-1/6) beat that included in this profit is the sum allowed for the latter examinaprofit still to be received from books tions might be seriously exceeded; (+2/6), 6-2, 6-3. ilready in stock. The system, but the situation was saved by a fall which is the one hitherto followed, in the cost of stationery. It is by appears to me clearly wrong and no means clear that these examinawill be corrected next year. The tions ought to be conducted at i actual realized profit I estimate at heavy-or at any-loss, and a margin of \$1,500 only is allowed in the new Budget. The Matriculation As, the increase in the total re- Board has already considered the Anatomy. There are, next, under- ment, in respect of students for-

The general situation as shown by but anything of the kind is impos-Lord Shaw as Chairman of the As against these underspendings, sible until new sources of revenue

CANTON FIGHTING.

HOPS CLOSE THEIR DOORS.

(From Qur Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, Apirl' 16. It is reported that many people living in the north-eastern outskirts Canton are fleeing into the city on account of the fighting between the Yunnan and Kwangsi troops at

When the sound of firing was heard in the city, shops closed their doors and traffic was suspended.

plus of \$10,102 as against an esti- ings: the itent "Water" shows an the Navy to proceed to Canton and excess of \$277, due to an increase to General Hen Shung-chi to hasten It must not be concluded that the in the price of water in the middle the return of his Cantonese troops. The Inter-school sports have surplus of \$10,000 represent the of the year; an apparent increase of . The following cable, received been postponed until Wednesday, apparent excess of receipts over the \$570 for "Electric Lighting" is no from Mr. Eugene Chen confirms

was pointed out in my Budget Note, was pointed out in my Budget Note, postage, stamps and telegrams is against the Yunnanese forces possession. all that matters in connection with over-spent-to the extent of \$272; stationed at Kun Yin Shan and the these fees is the excess of expendi- while "Sundry Expenses shows an Experimental Station. The attacks ture over income, which closely excess of \$301. The excess of were completely repulsed by the approximates, to the Budget esti- 2,169 on Engineering Repairs and Yunnanese, who are now counterstracking and surrounding the White Cloud Mountain where the

Kwangsi forces have retreated. Dr. Sun Yot-sen witnessed the operations along the foot of the White Cloud Mountain accompanied by the Yunnanese Commander-in-Chief who was confident of entirely

crushing the Kwangsi troops very Canton remains calin although the public are indignant at the action taken by the Kwangsi forces and bitterly denounce General

A KWANGSI DEFEAT?

'According to an "extra" issued y the Wah Taze Yatt Po, the fighting vesterday afternoon resulted in defeat for the Kwangsi troops who are retreating in a north-week erly direction. The Chinese paper adds that in addition to the Yunnanese troops, the Kwangsi-Cantonese detachment in the East River dis-Hsu Shung-chi and Li Fook-lum are

TOURNAMENT.

The Hongkong Cricket Club's labour institutions in Hongkong as fact is, I fear, that the cost of living that it also implies that the depart- yesterday afternoon but H. D. On leaving Cuine Road the promay arise whether our hostel fees As regards physical maintenance, I has given so much promise, fell ill city passing along D'Aguilar Street ought not to be somewhat increased. mentioned in my Budget Note that and consequently was unable to into Queon's Road where it turned meet R. E. Worthington, in the west into the Chinese business disopen championship singles; He trict. It then proceeded along Des. therefore gives Worthington a walk- Vooux Road' West to the Yat Bit over into the semi-final for to-day Trug, the Farewell Pavilion" at

> Three matches were played off to the deceased gentleman. yesterday afternoon.

Handicap Doubles .- G. R. Sayer | wall was confined to bed and he and A. D. Humphreys (-4/6) beat was represented by Mrs. Kotewall. U. Mark and R. H. Wild

MOULDERS' GRIEVANCE AGAINST CONTRACTING SYSTEM.

Objection to their being employed through a contractor while subservient to the company's fore: men, prompted the Chinese moulders at the Taikoo Docks to suspend work yesterday. About one hundred men, all members of the Moulders' Guild at Yaumati, are involved.

by the men to the manager asking morning contained the news of the the Chairs of Surgery and years from the Kwangsi Govern- with He, according to custom, of Mr. Clifford Wilkinson of makes a deduction from the men's Tansan fame. Ho was the pay, The manager replied that the founder of the celebrated Tansan company was willing to view their claims in a sympathetic spirit and then been a resident of Kobe. Mr. asked for an explanation of the

It is stated that the removal of

month, My hanks in this connection are due to the Registrar, and is stall for the way in which they

LATEST PROPERTY DEALS!

DES VŒUX ROAD BLOCK

NEW DEPARTMENT STORE?

Yet another large deal in property has been reported. A block of four. teen Chinese houses, used mainly asbusiness premises, Nos. 206 to 284 (even numbers only) inclusive; Des-Vœux Road Central has recently changed hands for the price of

This is the block-directly opposite Wing On's front on Des Voux Road. The vendors are the Man-Tung Ori Kee, importers and exporters and the huyer is Mr. Yu Doh-sang of the Cheong Sing Bank, It is stated that the new owner has definitely decided to pull the block down and construct modern bhildings instead. There is also talk of a large up-to-date department store being built. Owing to difficulty in finding suitable premises some of the present occupants are willing to.

HONGKONG ELECTRIC

OLD POWER STATION FETCHES · \$700,000.

Enquiries at the office of the general managers (Messrs/ Gibb-Livingston and Co.) this morning confirmed the rumour that the Hongkong Electric Company had sold their old power station at Wing Fung Street, Wanchai, for

nearly \$700,000. The site covers an area of a little more than 109,000 square feet and Wu the purchaser is understood to be a Pei-fu who has inspired this wanton | Chinese contractor. It is thought that Chinese tenement houses will

NG HON-TSZ

be built on the property;

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL CEREMONIES.

The funeral of the late Hon. Mr. Ng Hon-tsz started from his house in Caine Road at one o'clock to-day and was impressive as befitting one of his position. Paraphernalia had to be requisitioned from Canton to make up the imposing procession. Unfortunately rain necessitated oilcloth coverings for the gorgeous pieces and the silk scrolls with the names of donors had to be wrapped Tributes were sent from all the prominent commercial and

when he is due to meet Thomas Kennedy Town where friends assembled to pay their last respects;

The results His Excellency the Governor was present as well as a number of the Handicap Singles "A."-C. C. Colony's officials. The late Mr. Stark (+15,3) beat E. R.-S. Dode Ng's colleague, on the Legislative Council, the Hon Mr. R. H. Kote-L. Thomas and A. R. Suther- Sir Robert Ho Tung, Mr. Ho Fook, also proceeded to the Pavilion.

After refreshments had been served, the procession proceeded to the Chinese Permanent Cemetery at Aberdeen where the remains, laid in a magnificent coffin of specially imported wood, will be interred.

OBITUARY.

WELL-KNOWN KOBE RESIDENT

MAN WHO DISCOVERED "TANSAN,"

On Friday last a letter was sent A private cable received this Spring 40 years ago and has since Wilkinson had been in bad health On Friday night, the guild for some time past but his death received a letter from the came as a shock to his family and

with a fine character and generous to a degree. He leaves a widow one contractor in favour of another and several children with whom

> The Fruit Season. Bowel complaint in sure to be prevatent during the fruit seeson. Be sure to Diarriboen Bernerly at hand. It mey

EXHIBIT: FAMOUS CHINESE BUSINESS MEN'S

TRIP IN THE RAIN.

sulat de France, the leading mem- at the City Hall this evening, bers of the Chinese General when Chamber of Commerce, left by an interview to the Michelet," which is the Flagship point, she was willing to talk of of the French commercial fleet on her travels. a tour round the world.

appointed a special delegaconsisting of Messrs'; Simon Tsc-yan, Wang Kwong-ting, Ho Kwong and Chow Chun-ning to visit the commercial exhibition. Among others were: Messrs. Fong Ping-sang Ho Wah-tong, Li Yowchin, Yip Lan-chin, Foo Yik-pang, Chan Poh-Kwang, Li Tsze-fong and four delegates from Sincere and Co., in Messrs, Win Lew-ching Chan-ning, Ko Kit-chow and Ma Man Fai, Mr. Yeung Poh-kwan of notable spots en route. While in the Mee Wah Knitting and Dyeing Factory was also of the party. Besides the foregoing, at a concert at the Vice-Regal Madame Lam, wife of Dr. Lam Lodge." Madame Lam, wife of Dr. Lam Tsze-fung, Commissary of Foreign Affairs in the Government of Canton, also made the trip. The lau ich, which had no side curtains left Blake Pier in a torrent of rain and as few of the party had rain-coats, they reached the ship in a sadiy bedraggled state. However, Capitaiae Amet, who met the party, at the top of the gangway soon put all at their ease and de

of the rain's effects. The exhibition is held in the salle d'armes and consists chiefly illuminated picturés furniture, jewellery and fashions in natural colours and a quantity of literature and catalogues from the leading French export bouses After the exhibition had been inspected Rear-Admiral appeared and the members of the party were introduced to him. An adjour inteat was thea made to the ad piral's private saloon, where light refreshments were served.

tailed men to wipe off the worst

A photograph of Lord Jehi roe, who entert fined the French visitors during their stay in New Zealand, occupied a promine a prace oa Rear-Admiral Gilly's table, as did a model in silver of a Cnicese. hark, the gift of the Snanghai Municipality. Among the mural decorations was a shield of interest.

Foreign · Office were present to reply to any questions and explained to the visitors that if they would enter their in the book provided, with a list of their requirements, illustrated . catalogues in France.

plained to them that she was an Japan, where another month wil

which are the property of the Louvre and have been lent for the

LAST NIGHT'S BALL.

and his officers, a dinner and ball September," she said in conclusion, imposed on you." was given by M. Paul Kremer, the French Consul, at his residence in Peak Road last night. The house and grounds had been lavishly decorated for the occasion and dancing was continued into the secretary of the Royal Bangkok early hours this morning. Besides Sports Club, has joined a com-Rear-Admiral Gilly and his mercial firm in London. officers, the following were among the guests:

Lady Rees Davies, Sir Robert and moted general on the retirement Lady Ho Tung, Commodore H. E. of General Sir C. F. Nevil His Honour Mr. A. H. J. Chief in Ireland. Gompertz and Mrs. Gompertz, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. E.

To-night Rear-Admiral Gilly is the vonture, entertaining a large number of guests, including members of the The wedding of Mr. A. W. Watt, British Chamber of Commerce, to agent of the Hongkong and Shanga-dinner and dance on board the hai Bank, and Miss Margaret W. Flagship.

Imperial House in Russia, was sold Terminus Hotel, where the happy at Christie's, King street, St. couple received the congratula-James's, B.W., for £735 to Mr. tions of their numerous friends. Albert Amor.

CELLIST HERE. MISS MAY MUKLE

INTERVIEWED. "I hope you do not expect me to express my views on the Far East" said Miss May Mukle the

to visit Mail this morning. As soon "Jules as Miss Mukle was assured on this

The Chinese Chamber had Italy playing as a soloist" she said, "I reached Marseilles here Miss Rebecca Clarke (violin) and Miss Gertrude Watson joined me. We gave our first recital in Ceylon, where we found the audiences, especially the Burghers, most appreciative."

"Thonce we travelled to Bombay. where we gave four concerts in a week. We went on in leisurely fashion to Calcutta, visiting all the Delhi, we had the honour of being invited by Lord Reading to play

"We later paid a visit Mandalay, going from Rangoon by train (30 nours) and returning down the Irriwaddy River by steamer, a delightful trip that is well worth

Owing to having no advance agent, I suppose, we gave no performance in Penang, but went direct to Kuala Lumpur. 'Here we found many old friends-some had been fellow, students with me at the Royal Academy of Music and some with Miss Clarke at the Royal College of Music. After having a pleasant time among our old frie ads we went by train to Singa- was summonsed before Mr. J. R. crew has had a headache since. we missed the chance of our to mark the words "For Export lives in not staying over in Johore to visit the Sultan's Palace."

From Singapore we went to lava, where we spent three ty-four hours.

representative.

"Yes" said Misa Mukle and conr inoceros hide, richly embossed tinued, as if she were talking of a with gold and precious stones, the favourite child: "He was born in gift to Rear-Admiral Gilly of 1730, and he comes from the most Ruz Tafari, the Prince Regent, of paristocratic family, the Montagnas. Abyssiai). The presentation was Formerly he belonged to M. Farina, made while the French Frag-ship the original manmacturer of Eauwith at-Dillionti. A-glass casa-con- de-Cologne. -He-was given to-me taining precious stones from twenty years ago, and it is a re-Madagascar, also attracted much markable thing, but I have never seen the man who gave him to me. M. Petrequia, delegate from the He was given to me by an anony-Ministrie du Commerce and mons admirer, who had heard my found impossible to ship the goods away with the "tucks" still in his M. Chauval from the French playing at some of the London con- by the s.s. "Kinshan" as mentioned chest, evidently well satisfied that of outdoor exercise should keep your he never leaves me.

Miss Mukle and her friends spent yesterday, in Canton and was enthralled with her visit. When the price-lists would be sent them party leaves here, it will sail for from the head offices of the firms Shanghai, visiting Nanking and Tientsin en route to Poking, where The guests were then shown it is hoped to spend at least over the battleship, it being ex- month. After a tour through old type, having been completed be spent combining business with pleasure, Honolulu will be the next In the Admiral's private dining- stopping place. "There I shall room were a number of valuable once again feel really at home," prints of 18th century sailing ships declared Misa Mukle, "as I lived on mons, the Marylebone magistrate.

the island for six months once and that she did not know that she had still have a host of friends there." "Our final goal, of course is the contributions for servante, he said : big musical festival at Pittsfield, In honour of Rear-Admiral Gilly Massachusetts, which is held in papers to see what fresh taxes are

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Major Hitchins, the former

Lt.-General Sir Alexander J. His Excellency Major-General Godley, the British Commander-in-Sir John Fowler, Sir William and Chief on the Rhine, has been pro-Grace, Mrs Grace and Miss Grace. Macready, former Commander-in-

G. K. Chesterton, it is said, is to D. Parr, Hon. Mr. and be the editor of a new weekly re-Mrs. H. E. Pollock, Hon. Mr. A. G. view which is to bear his name. Stephen, Hon. Mr. H. McI. Messer, For some time there has been talk Hon. Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Holyoak, of a revival of T. P. O'Connor's Mr. A. O. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. famous paper, T. P.'s Weekly, with Alabaster, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. the grand old man again in the Edkins, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. M. chair. Hilaire Belloc is definitely Bernard, Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Mr. at work as editor of a new internaand Mrs. R. M. Dyer and the tional paper which is to appear officers of the British men-of-war some time this year. He is at pre-in port.

Gibbs, took place in Hankow on April 4. Mr. D. A. Wilson, acted as best man and Mr. Fraser, Mr. Wilkinshaw, Dr. Chamberlain and A Minton Sevres-pattern porce- Capt. Frank Loston were the lain service of about 300 pieces, ushers. Mrs. Tucker Carrington. stated to be a replica of a beview Gibbs gave the bride away. A service once in the possession of the reception was later held at the

JAPANESE PRINCE REGENT.

SIR PAUL CHATER'S GIFT.

ENDOWMENT OF \$50,000.

MISSIONS TO SEAMEN.

Sir Paul Chater's well-known Under the guidance of M. famous cellist, who is appearing generosity has again been exthe Prince Regent aboard arrived emplified by the offer of an expensive at the City Hall this evening, emplified by the offer of an say, the Committee have most "After a fortnight's tour through little time been puzzling the this evening and an amnesty has locally, the ways and means of raising a salary for an Assistant. - Reuter. Chaplain, whose efforts will probably be centred round the newly re-opened Kowloon Seamen's Institute.

The Missions to Seamen already owe a great debt of gratitude to one of the founders of the firm of Messrs. Chater and Mody; for the late Sir H. N. Mody gave a similar amount towards the building fund of the Seamen's Institute on the Praya East, when at a public meeting an appeal was made for donations for the purpose. As that Seamen to make great progress in the way of extension, this latest gift from the other founder will man to have a headache. It is a open the road to a still more vigor- complaint that needs sufficial attenscafaring life of the Port.

THE LAST DEAL

EUROPEAN FIRM FINED.

The Holland Pacific Trading Co. pore. I now learn with regret that Wood this morning for (1) failing on 2 cases of brandy and (2) not returning the export permit in respect of the shipment, within twen-

weeks and generally played to Mr. H. A. Taylor, assistant superhouses. The Dutch intendent, appeared on behalf of stripped to the waist, people I found rure lovers the Imports and Exports Depart-

posers. On our way here, we stay- that eighteen months ago the Dc- sowing prodle. He carefully ed in Singapore only two days and partment commenced issuing threaded it while the patient rolled Duty Paid "labels for liquors sold, his eyes ominously at the ceiling. understand that you have a in the colony and his firm, had not! Then he commenced to gather up famous' cello," said the China Mail marked their export shipments as the superfluons flesh on the pati-

Taylor said that all the other firms complied with the require- seem to mind the operation. He ment. The manager also stated didn't twitch a muscle, and when that this was their last shipment, as the "surgeon" twisted the cotton the business had been given to round his hand and callously pulled another firm. " A fine of \$5 was imposed.

Regarding the second summons, issued for April 6 when it was apiration from his brow, and walked certs. Since then he has been the on the permit. The manager only 'cello I have played-in fact added that his Portuguese clerk had taken the permit to the Department to be altered but the clerk there had insisted on the return of operate on a case of nervous breaka copy which was not forthcoming as it had been handed to the Kow-

loon Godowns. The hearing of the second summons was adjourned sine die to enable a date to be fixed when the Portuguese clerk employed by defendant company could be heard.

When a woman told Mr. Symto pay unemployment insurance "Every week you should look in the

VISIT TO FORMOSA.

TAIHOKU (FORMOSA), April 17. The battle cruiser" Kongo" with Endowment of Fifty Thousand at Keelung at ten this morning and Dollars to the Missions to Seamen at Taihoku at 2.20. Everywhere in Hongkong, which needless to were evidences of popular enthugratefully accepted. This gift will siasm. There will be a reception solve a problem which has for some at the residence of the Governor Missions to Seamen authorities been granted to political prisoners.

CHINESE HEADACHE CURE.

"ST. ALBANS" OPERATION.

The Chinese have a most effective method of curing headaches-more gift then enabled the Missions to offective than the customary antidotes used by Europeans.

It is a serious matter for a Chinaous advance in the field of opport- tion. In fact, the patient has to unity offered by the ever-changing suffer a ghastly torture for about half an hour.

The leest cure for a Chinese headache has come' to light on the 'St., Albane.'' says the Sydney Sun. Recently when the vessel was on ber way to the East a member of the Chinese crew effected a remarkable "cure" on one of his countrymen-so effective that it is stated none of the other members of the

This is how the cure was discovered. The chief officer and the ship's doctor were doing their rounds one morning, and when in the Chineso section of the ship a man was noticed lying on a table

Standing over him was the beadof music of the classical style, ment and the defendant company ache specialist. He had a small possibly they have little oppor- was represented by the manager, bag beside him, and from it be took tugity to listed to the modern com- The manager told His Worship a needle and cotton-an ordinary

the goods did not display the labels ont's chest and inserted two stitches, and would necessarily be for Ha simply sewed the flesh into what In reply to His Worship, Mr. a dressmaker would call "tucks."

The credulous Chinese didn't the "tucks" together he merely blinked.

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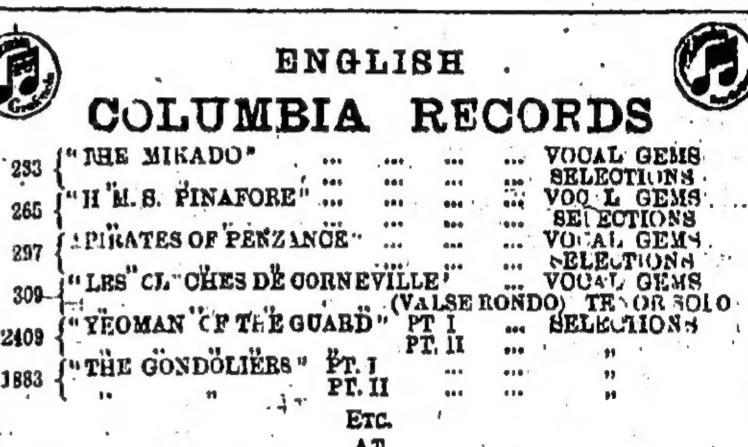
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The N.Y.K. 8.8. Wakasa Maru (Bombay Line) left Singapore for Hong-kong on Apr. II and is expected here to-(New York Line) left Nagasaki for Hong-

kong on Apr. II and is expected here The P. & O. s.s. "Nankin," left Shanghei for this port on Aug. 16 at 11 a.m. with the homeward English Mails, and was due here to-day at about 7 a.m. The N.Y.K. s.s. "Matsumoto Maru" (Hamburg Line) left Dairen for Hongkong on Apr, 13 and is expected here to-day.

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via Nagataki on Apr. 11 and is expected here to-day. The B. F. B. M. Automedon from

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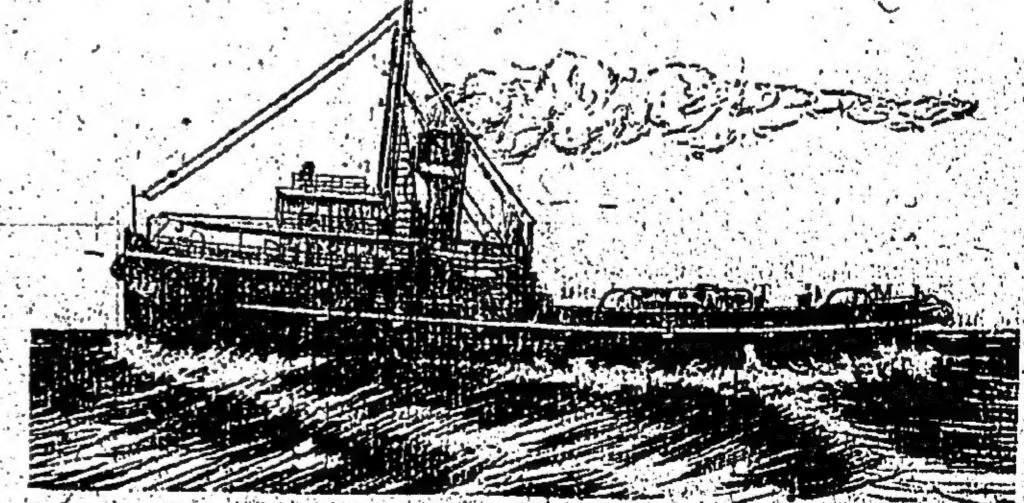
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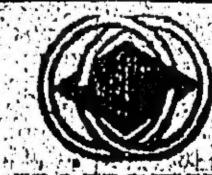
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STRANGE TRAGEDY OFF JAVA COAST.

UNION INSURANCE MAN'S DEATH

here it is that of Capt. S. C. Plant, On Saturday, March 3t, the the man who, working largely British community of Java were voluntarily, made the navigation shocked to learn that one of their of the Upper Yangtze possible, number, Mr. L. G. J. Van Breda, of the Union Insurance Society of Canton's Sourabaya branch, had Chinese alike. The committee have met with a tragic end whilst bathing in the sea at Parang Tritis, south of Djocja, the previous

in the Gorges, and there on a comevening. Mr. Van Breda formed one of a party of English people who had Changsha granite obelisk, standing taken advantage of the Ersten holidays to visit the South Coast for the sake of the sea-bathing. like the Wallace Morament. Tw. Three more friends from Batavia were expected later the same evening (Good Friday).

The party consisting of two China, while the foreigner cone: ladies and six men, were bathing from without Chine, an inscription. water of more than four feet or so side facing diagonally down river. in depth. Suddenly Mr. Van Further than this, suitable provi-Breda was heard to cry out for sion was made for Capt. Plant's help, and his friends rushing to mother when she lost his support, a the spot, caught hold of him and tombstone has been erected over tried to draw him to the shore, the grave of Capt, and Mrs. Plant This, however, was only done after at Hongkong at the expense of his great exertions, as the creature heirs and they have also generously which had seized him did not re- put down £500 required for the linguish its hold for several further mai tenance of Cipt. seconds. During this struggle it Plant's two Chinese wards and the was obvious to all that Mr. Mrs. Plant bursary. There now Van Breda had suffered terrible remains the question of completing injuries and within a few seconds the monument. The lowest estihe expired from shock and mate calls for \$15,000 and at prehaemorrage. From the extent and sent there is an amount of under nature of the wounds in the left \$4,000 in , hand. Reduce the side and thigh it may be regarded amount to sterling, and it is under as certain that he lost conscious- £2,000 which surely is a very small ness almost from the instant of be- sum for such a good cause and ing attacked...

GIANT RAY! It can never be definitely known Plant's prest work and can afford what creature it was that caused his to subscribe £1 each. Mr. T. J death; it was never seen from first Eldridge, Coast Iaspector, Chinese to last, and one can state nothing | Maritime Customs, Shanghai, is the with certainty beyond the fact that secretary and treasurer of the it possessed the pertinacity, weight fund. and strength to withstand the united efforts of half a dozen people for some moments. Some people have assumed it to have been a shark, appreciation of the kindness and but those who were present think help they experienced from the a giant ray more probable for several reasons.

The remains were taken that in Djocja, and from the various night to Diocja, and placed in the authorities with whom they were Military Hospital at about 10.30 brought in contact.

to the graveside by six friends, success as a producer in Upon it lay a cross from his mother, theatricals. A short while ago and three wreaths from the Union he staged a concert-party, The Insurance Society of Canton, from Titiaks. This was followed by his friends in Sourabaya, and from Oscar Wilde's Importance of being his friends with him in Djocja. Earnest in Dutch; and at the be-

justher wish to express their great endeared him to them.

ORIENTAL STUDIES.

REMARKABLE PARALLEL ANECDOTES.

GREEK AND CHINESE

The latest Bulletin issued by the school of Oriental Studies (London University) contains many interesting papers. Sir George A, Grierson, K.C.I.E., contributes a transtation of the Lay of Brahama's Marriage, an episode of the Alh-Khand, that popular North Indian called retailing the exploits of the famous Alha and Udan. This long apic poem has an added interest for Hongkong in that fir Charles (then Hongkong in that Sir Charles (then | The Scheme for the Nursing Mr.) Elliott, stationed near the Home having now been completed, ancient city of Kanauj, found the meeting of subscribers was several of the wandering minutrels, called last night to obtain sanction or singers of Alha, and employed one of them to compile a complete committee to commence work on set of the twenty-three ballads from the new project. their joint memories. The poom was thus rescued and later printed. Portions have been translated into English ballad metre but the Treater part is still a sealed book to English readers. Sir George

In addition to Sir Paul Chater Hongkong War Memorial Nursing Hongkong War Memorial Nursing Hongish Mr. A. G. Stephen, Hon, Mr. In the Judgment certain conditions are made, the chief ones being that:

P. H. Holyonk, Mr. D. G. M. Bernard, Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie, Home shall be:

Home shall be: English readers. Sir George Mr. A. O. Lang, Mr. G. T. Edkins, Mr. A. O. Lang, Mr. G. T. Edkins, Dr. G. M. Harston, Lieut, Colonel before. This specimen of the ballad poetry of Northam India, as he wys, strongly reminds the reader of our own Border ballads.

Equally interesting for the stulent are the papers dealing with discovery of the original Devanagari text of the Christian Purana of Thomas Stevens (Gustin) "History of Ethiopa,"

Confucius Anecdote. Three papers are also included

..ollows :rave a great deal to make me appy. God created all things, and all His creations man is the oblest. It has fallen to tay lot to w a man; that is my first ground or happiness. Then there is a disinction between male and female be former being rated more highly han the latter. Therefore it normal state, and reaching at last the appointed end, what is there that should make me unhappy?'-Confucius, 'to be able to find a source of consolation in oneself! . The Greek parallel is found in Plutarch's "Life of Marius" as ollows :-

within the difetime of Socrates.

lived in the second century A.D.: and in a saying which Hernoppus in his "Lives" attributes to Thales but which is sometimes told tion of Plutarch's letter.

with China relate to Chinese records taking a number of wreaths from triumph by the production of (H. A. R. Gibb); and the text and sympathisers there. The following Scenes from Shakespeare, in transliteration of gramophone rewere present at the burial .- Mr. Sourabaya. Those who worked cords in Mandarin and Cantonese. F. Crook, W. E. Mann, H. S. Ban- true artistry which he put into the a mote on the translitoration of per, B. S. Muller, D. P. Maher, and show, and he leaves many to mourn Arabic, Persian, Urdu and Hindi; Sharp, then my co-trustee of the covered corridor from the main. There were no questions, and as his loss both as an artist and as one and the usual scholarly book reviews. Sharp Estate, who expressed a building.

There were no questions, and as the usual scholarly book reviews. Sharp Estate, who expressed a building. The friends of Mr. Van Breda whose character had especially complete this Bulletin (Vol. II. Part IV., price aix shillings.

WAR MEMORIAL MEETING OF SUBSCRIBERS

NURSING HOME PROJECTS. SIR PAUL CHATER'S SCHEME.

The meeting of subscribers to the Hongkong War Memorial was held in the Board Room of Messrs

L. G. Bird, Mr. N. L. Watson and Mr. E. J. Chapman (Secretary).

The Chairman said.-At a subscribers' meeting held on December 2, 1920, it was thought that it would be best to merge the War Memorial Scheme in a proposed scheme for the erection of a combined club for Navy, Army and Civilians: this was Abbott), Drart-i-Asurik al. M. later found to be impracticable; invala), the phonetics of the Zulu but it was decided to erect on the anguage (Clement M. Doke), the "finest site" a replica of the reliminary report on the Livro da Cenotaph in Whitehall designed seita dos Indios Orientais (Juri by Mr. Lutyens. Permission was 'arpentier). Arabic literature since obtained from Mr. Lutyens to use he beginning of the Nineteenth his design, but there was considerentury (Shaykh M. H. 'Abd able delay in obtaining the plans; 11-Razigd), and the recovery of the however, the work is now well preliminary matter of Almeida's under way and we hope to unveil the Cenotaph on Empire Dry, May 24. It will cost about \$60,000. At a Meeting of the Committee held on August 22, 1921, it was stated clating to China. Lionel Giles that the Naval and Military ives two very remarkable parallel authorities were unable to come to needotes in Greek and Chinese: any satisfactory agreement as to he lirst about Confucius as the future control and management of the proposed Club, and the. "Confucius was travelling once scheme was therefore dropped. "I over Mount Tai, when he caught then suggested that the Memorial "ight of Jung Ch'i-ch'i roaming in take the form of an up-to-date he wilds of Ch'eng. He was clad Nursing Home on the higher a deer-skin, girded with a rope, levels; it was felt that such a Home 4.—The Trustees for the time being nd was singing as he played on a would be a great boon to the 'My friend,' said Confucius, Colony; it would be of service to what is it that makes you so the Community in assisting to pappy?' The old man replied: 'I minimise the death rate, and in the restoring to health of those falling sick. It would be managed by a board of governors composed of lay members of the Community, in with one orsitwo: Government Officials serving on it; the staff to consist of resident doctor and to the Committee as constituted resident trained nurses and private by the Court, the Senior practitioners to be allowed to representative in Hongkong of attend patients. I felt certain that any firm subscribing \$20,000 in the sea at a little after i all past in Chinese be placed on the etter to be a nule; and since I am I could raise \$250,000 and as the or, upwards be ipso facto a five in the afternoon. They were side facing altagonally up river, and ne, I have a second ground for Government had undertaken to member of it. The decision of the

quite close inshore and never in an inscription in E glish on the impliness. Furthermore, notice are give us a like sum (making Shareholders of the Peak Hospital form who never behold the sun or \$500,000.) we could, with this, make to wind up the Company was the moon, and who never emerge a very fine Nursing Home and arrived at about July, 1922, and it is from their swaddling-clothes. But have sufficient money left to carry only by the generosity o I have already walked the earth for on. On September 23rd, 1921, I Mr. J. E. Joseph in buying the space of ninety years. That is received a letter from the Govern- the place and handing it over my third ground for happiness, ment stating that as the scheme for to the Government, that the Poverty is the normal lot of the the proposed club had fallen Peak Hospital is running to-day; cholar, death the appointed end for through they thought that the Government is, I believe. Il human beings. Abiding in the the War Memorial should be responsible for the maintenance of confined to the erection of the it. This is one of the reasons, that Cenotaph already decided on, the scheme now submitted to you and asking for recommend- is a much more elaborate one than ations as to what should be done that contemplated at first, and as I with the balance of subscriptions have said, it is necessary to raise a remaining. At a Committee Mee- much larger sum. It is estimated to ting held on October 3, 1921, this build and furnish a Nursing House decision of the Government was such as we aim at will entail an exconsidered but your Committee penditure of one million dollars were of the unanimous opinion that and I am very pleased to say that Plato, when his end was drawing the Nursing Home Scheme should most of this is already in near, gave thanks to his familiar be proceeded with. A sub-commit- sight. The contributions promised. spirit and to Fortune for that, in tee consisting of the Hon. Mr. A. (and in some cases paid) the first place, he had been born a G. Stephen, the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pol- together with the estimated nan and not a brute devoid of lock, the Hon. Mr. Lau Chu Pak, contributions from Sharp's Estate, teason, and in the second, a Greek and myself, were appointed to in- and interest amount to \$900,000; and not a barbarian; and moreover, terview H. E. the Governor, to ask | we can therefore confidently that this birth had happened to fall that the Government renew their appeal for the additional \$100,000 former offer in providing \$250,000 required. The Government has Other parallels for the same being a like amount to that which I very kindly assisted us by granting i anecdote are found in a passage in had undertaken to raise. The the \$200,000 already mentioned, Diogenes Lacrtius who probably result was that the Government and a very fine site about 12 acres. granted us a site and \$200,000.00. situated about 700 feet above sea

on condition that the Community level; the site is above the new subscribed an equal amount. In motor road to the Peak and over-April 1922 the stage had been rea- looks the Harbour and the Race ched when it was necessary that the Course: it will be shaded from the Socrates. According to Hermippus, Nursing Home should be provided evening sun and will enjoy the Thales used to say he gave thanks with a Constitution of Articles of south easterly breeze through lo Fortune for three things in parti- Association in accordance with the Middle Gap in the summer; it will The funeral took place at 5 p.m. Mr. Van Breda was the only son cular; firstly because he had been law governing such institution; be approached by a nearly level. the following day. The service of the late Dr. Van Breds and Mrs born a man and not a heast: This was done and approved by motor road branch off the main was conducted in English, and A. Raphael of Graff Reinst, Cape secondly because be was a male and your Committee. It was then found, road. Plans of the Nursing Home according to Church of England Province, South Africa. Although not a female; and thirdly, a Greek, that the \$400,000.00 consisting of have been prepared and we conthe Salvation Army. Mr. Van and a half, he was one who touched the work containing the Chinese and \$200,000.00 to be raised by the Forsyth-and Allen as to their Breda's friends desire to express life at many points in both British | meedote is thought to have been a Community would not be enough suitability technically; the doctors the deepest gratitude to this Officer and Dutch circles, writes a cor contemporary of Socrates, and it is to provide an Institution on a scale, made certain suggestions, for imfor the manner in which he con- respondent. Although only 25 certainly remarkable that he should to meet the growing needs of the provements and these have already ducted the simple, touching years of auc, he had already made have written yet another passage Colony. It was necessary to raise been adopted; the plans are on the ceremony. The coffin was carried a name for himself by his great which finds a striking parallel in more money, and I then outlined a table and may be inspected. I may Plutarch. This anecdole Mr. proposal made by myself and the say that accommodation is provid-Giles also quotes togother Hon. Mr. Stephen, we being the ed for 35 single rooms. There with Philemon Holland's translat Trustees of the Granville Sharp will be two free wards of 10 beds Estate, for the utilization of half each which will be named after the The two other papers dealing the surplus income of that Estate late Mr. Granville Sharp and his as from January 1, 1922. It was wife Matilda Sharp, in accordance by this Committee, and hope that, On the next day another friend grunning of the week in which in Control Asia estimated that the money thus with the terms under which we get at this meeting you will authorise provided would be sufficient to the grave from Sourabaya he died he scored his greatest of the Amberia. Asia provided would be sufficient to the grave from the feeting you will authorise

instance of the late Mr. E. H. geon and Physician reached by a scribers may desire to ask.

ing Home scheme but was unfortunately prevented by illness! from drawing up proposals in detail. The next step was an application to the Court based on affidavits sworn by Mr. Bernard on behalf of the Committee, and by the Hon, Mr. Stephen and myself on behalf of the Sharp Estate. On August 12 1022 the Chief Estate. August 12, 1922, the Chief Justice gave judgment approving she scheme, subject to further details being submitted as to the working of the proposed Nursing Home. On March 7, 1923, a further judg-

ment was given, based on an Affidavit by Mr. D. G. M. Bernard and on Articles intended to govern the proposed Hongkong War Mem-orial Nursing Home in accordance with the suggestion contained in the previous judgment; the effect of the later judgment is that from January I, 1922 half the surplus income from Granville Sharp's Estate after providing for the mainten-ance of the Matilda Hospital is to erection and or endowment of the

Home shall be :-The Trustees for the time being of the Will of the late Mr. Granville Sharp from whose Estate a large proportion of the fund is, with the sanction of the Court derived.

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The Senior representative in Hongkong for the time being of Messrs. John Swire and Sons Ltd. (Messrs, Butterfield and Swire Ltd.).

The Chief Manager for the time being of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. -Committee shall consist of:-The Trustees of the Home.

A Government Official to be nominated by the G vernot. The Chairman for the time being of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce. The members to be co-opted

annually by the Committee to serve for one year. Two wards, to be named after the late Mr. Granville Sharp and/or his wife Matilda Li -

coine Sharp, shall be set apart for free patients. of the Will of the late Mr.

Granville Sharp shall at the expiration of 7 years from January I, 1922, report to the-Registrar as to whether the provisions of the articles as above mentioned have been and are bring duly observed and carried out. It is also intended that in addition

subsequent annual endowment of rooms; Nurses quariers are on the fore however, putting this proposal

measure of assistance to the Nurt- scheme which has been approved clusion.

DAIRY FARM NEWS.

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The following flavours may be had in brick form, on 24 hours' notice :-

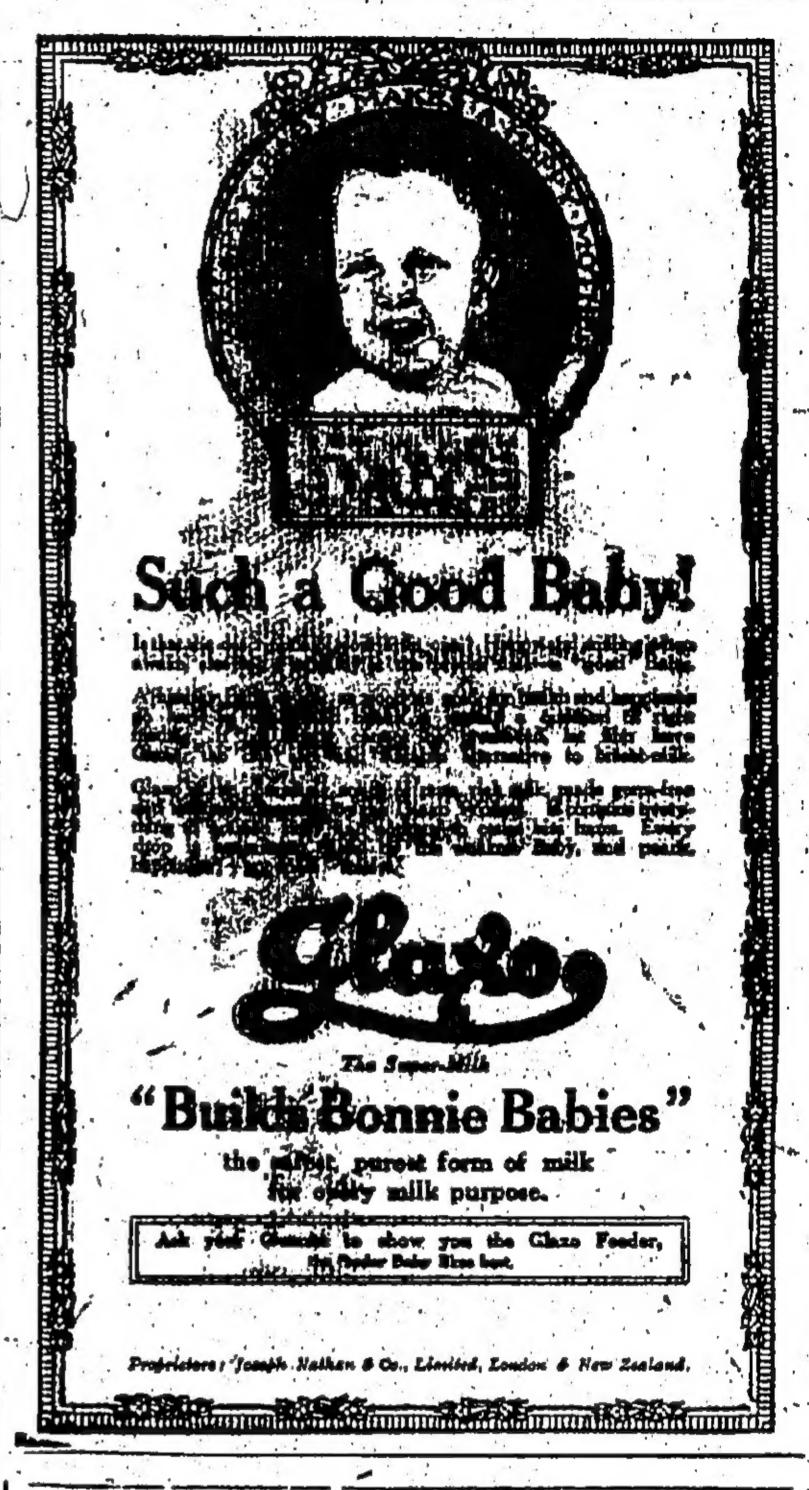
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procedure, by Adjutant Horth of he had only been in Java for a year not a Barburian. The author of \$200,000,000 from the Government suited Drs. Johnson, Harston, DO NOT MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY

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provided would be sufficient to the grant from that Estate. On the increase the building fund by 2nd floor will be situated the Committee to proceed with it \$150,000.00 and to provide a operating theatres and subsiduary along the lines I have set out. Be-

A Parent's Duty.

Your boy is always getting scratched or out or bruised Because these wounds h ve hea'ed a'l right is no sign they always will. Get a bottle of were present at the burnat with him in the latter will never. An Abyssinian vocabulary of the \$70,000.00. I may say that this third floor and there will be two to the meeting I shall be glad to chamber and laim and too that Mrs. C. R. D. Bonner, Messrs, F. J. forget the energy patience and Seventeenth Century (M. B. Gover); action was taken at the semi-detached bouses for the Sur- answey any questions that subevery injury is cared for immediately. You can get nothing better, and blood poison is too dangerous a disease to risk.

desire to extend a generous. There now explained to you the meeting was brought to a con- For sele by all. Chemists and

CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mall)

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GERMANY AND REPARATIONS.

REPLY TO M. POINCARE.

FOREIGN MINISTER'S SPEECH.

Contrary to international expectation, the Foreign Minister, Dr. von Rosenberg, in his speech in the Reichstag, did not make definite proposals as regards the reparations problem. It is believed, however that Germany's ignored January, offer of thirty milliards gold marks will eventually form the basis of the solution. The Reich will not entertain plans for the formation of a Rhenish federal state or transfer its rights to international organisations. It rejected the recent Franço-Belgian proposed system of gradual evacuation of the Ruhr.

Replying to M. Poincare's Dunkirk speech cabled yesterday, Dr. von Rosenberg declared Germany was compelled to import British coal. He admitted that currencies were being sent abroad in order to save the people from hunger. He denied that the Schutz police was in any way a military organisation, and wound up by expressing Germany's determination to hold out until France recognised Germany's

BURMAH OIL STRIKE

EXPECTED SETTLEMENT 'DEFERRED.

RANGOON, April 16. The expected settlement of the strike on the Yenon Yaung oilfield, in which 10,000 workers are involved, demanding a large increase in wages and recognition of equality treatment for American and Burman skilled workers, has been deferred. This is owing to the alleged victimisation of a hundred members of the labour union. The strikers demand the appointment of an arbitration board.

COTTON INDUSTRY BILL.

SECOND READING CARRIED.

LONDON, April 16.

The second reading was manœuvred through the Commons of the Cotton-Industry Bill providing for compulsory contribution to the the scheme for the requisition of Empire Cotton-Growing! Association the passage of which was endangered owing to the House not sitting on Friday in consequence of Thursday's long sitting.

FRENCH TEXTILE WORKERS' STRIKE.

PARIS, April 16.

LAND SALES.

HIGH PRICES THE RULE.

Mr. L. C. Parker Rees.

being put up again.

came the purchaser at \$57,500.

IS YOUR BABY

GETTING HIS TEETH?

Let Baby's Own Tablets Help.

A message from Lille states that 8,900 textile workers struck in factories not paying the wages demanded by the Unionibut five thousand others are allowed to work in factories-where the scale is accept-

MUCH BUSINESS."

CORONET'S AMUSING COMEDY.

Superintendent of Crown Lands. "Too Much Business" is the title of the seven-reel Vitagraph confedy which is the current need to encourage the large crowd 1892, and with her tonnage of 4,500 attraction at the Coronet. It is a of prospective Chinese buyers as was a very useful unit of that exscreen version of one of the "John bids were so quickly forthcoming ceedingly go-ahead fleet. She was Apr. 18.-C. N. Henry" stories by Earl Dorr Biggers which have found such babel of voices was so marked that the war, in the early days of which fayour with readers of the Sainrday when one lot was "knocked down" she was employed as an Indian Apr. 19.-0. N. Evening Post. purchaser was, necessitating the lot | troller took her over and diverted

The plot presents a hero who is in love with a girl who frowns upon on a strictly business foundation, annual rental \$56 was the first lot ally the Hamburg-American "Marthat period. Fired by his boss, he one of the crowd to remark "money another Hamburg concern to make opens an hotel for babies and the is simply being thrown away." way for the new ship of the same day nursery becomes highly po- The lot eventually went to Mr. Li name, and just before the outbreak pular. There is an amusing com- | Sing-ku for \$27,000. interpreted and the direction is highly capable.

SAME NAME.

BUT DIFFERENT ADDRESS.

Mr. S. J. Roe of the Imports and Exports Department asked permission of Mr. J. R. Wood at the Magistracy this morning to withdraw four summonses which had been erroneously taken out against Chinese shipping firm with the same hame as another firm, but with a different address. The application was granted.

One summons was in respect of an allegedly inaccurate manifest for the s.s. "Saichow," two in respuct of not returning two manifests for two trips of the same ship and owners at \$98,700. the other for failing to hand in a manifest for the s.s. "Sin Ping An."

hill son's case has "practically his son's case has practically Rvery parent knows the worder that ruined, him has aroused much come when baby is teething. Many sympathy, for he and his wife are parents have found in Baby's Own a peopular and much respected couple. The family scat is Oakley House, Bedford. His town house, in Ennismore gardens, was sold in cheerful, and ready for his meal.

Tablets bely which seems almost magical imperial taxation in Great Britain End Northern Ireland for the cheerful, and ready for his meal.

Imperial taxation in Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the cheerful, and ready for his meal. February, 1920, and at the same oneerial, and ready for his meal.

A Canadian remedy, Baby's Own Great Britain for 1921-22 was £4

time he sold a quantity of old Tables are now widely known through of the best best best best best best by the best best best best best by the best by a very talk man, like his heir; and reliable specific for infantile indigestion, he is deeply religious. Last year simple fever, constitution, colic, diar the preached at the Church of and worms. No home where there are young children should be without them. It was stated at a Weymouth in the preached at the Church of and worms. No home where there are young children should be without them. Of dealers, or post free, 60 coats the vial the instructions of the doctor as he instructions of the doctor as he indifference to religion.

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SHIPPING.

WELL-KNOWN VESSELS BEING BROKEN UP.

NAMES FAMILIAR HERE.

Just as there is a great deal of interest in reading the obituary Apr. 19.-0. M. notices of eminent people whom one has met and whom one has not met, so the news that a stout old ship is being broken up always puts one into a humour to lean back and ruminate on her personality and her doings, and on. the various occasions when she was met on the Seven Seas and Apr. 18 .- C. N.

the thoughts that were engendered those meetings, says the lournal of Commerce. At the moment we have five ships of more than usual interest in the hands of the breakers, and one cannot help pausing a montent to think of them and their careers. The first is the British India liner,"Dilwara," end of last year, and has now completed her scrapping. She was one of the ships that the British India Apr. 18.—C. M. Nile had built for them by Inglis in the early 'nincties, she and her sister, the "Dunera," having been constructed for their subsidiary services. She was a ship of over 5,000 tons, which could manage her 14 knots at sea quite easily, and was a very popular ship in her time on account of her solid comfort and reliability. A considerable proportion of her career was spent as a transport, having been taken up on charter during the various trooping seasons in the 'nineties, and being the proud bearer of No. 3 during the South African War. During the late! war she was again employed on a similar duty, bringing home regiments which had been on garrison duty in India, and maintaining supplies generally until the latter days of the war, when she was taken over by the Ministry of Shipping under tonnage. Altogether she was a June 1.-B. F. popular ship, and has done good service in her time, but there is no getting away from thirty years of age in these days of competition. The second ship is another unit of the Inchape group, the P. and O. "Malta," which was built in 1895 as the third ship of the type whose other components were the "Simla" and "Nubia." She was a 6,000-ton ship with big passenger accommodation, well suited for the intermediate and Far Eastern services. Before the war her history was not interesting, just a steady record of good service done, but in 1916, while engaged on the company's Apr. 30.-T.K K. service, she had a very gallant action with a submarine, and beat her off by superior gunfire. Apr. 21.—U.N., "Nurani" was built for the who acted as auctioneer at yester- Asiatic Steam Navigation Comday's sales of Crown lands did not pany by Harland and Wolff in Apr. 18.-C. N. that it was difficult to decide who sold to the Bombay and Persia had made the offer. In fact the Steam Navigation Company before

her according to his sweet will in Inland Lot No. 2,415, comprising the spring of 1916. romance. So he puts his love affair | 8.000 square feet at Kennedy Town. | The fourth on the list was origintaking out an option on her for put up at an upset price of \$4,800. komannia," built at Newcastle in May 1.-U.S.S.B. thirty day's and proving to her that | Small bids were given as rapidly | 1890 and a handy ship in their carhe can double his salary within as in a furniture auction causing go fleet. In 1907 she was sold to of war went to Genoa to become plication to the plot because his Another area of 8,000 square feet the "Pegli." Her record is very liarival is determined to ruin the known as Kowloon Inland Lot ble to be confused with that of the hero's noval venture. The comedy 1,525 situated at the junction of second "Markomannia," built in is brightly and interestingly Nathan and Gascoigne Roads, 1911 as the "Strick Nigaristan." annual rent \$110, was next offered, Wherever this ship went she seemthe upset price being \$20,000. cause trouble, being a gun runner Offers increasing by \$1,000 soon ed to in Mexico and a supply ship took the price up and at one stage to the German raider "Emden a jump of \$3,000 came from no until H.M.S. "Yarmouth" caught her fewer than six different bidders, at the game and sank her by

there was a dispute as to who the transport until the Shipping Con-

Ultimately, Mr. Chan Lai-to be- gunfire. The last of the five is the little A lot of 49,500 square feet at paddle steamer. Christopher Cheungshawan, described as New Wren," whose tonnage of round Kowloon Inland Lot No. 436, ad- about 120 is so small that most joining the Shamshuipo reclamation people will lose sight of her end was the last lot sold, the auctioneer altogether. But she is interesting describing it as a very valuable in her way in that she was one of site. From the upset price of the units of the pleasure fleet \$14,850 the first bid brought it to which the bondon County built in \$25,000. Increases of \$1,000 and 1005, and which was afterwards \$5,000 took the price to \$60,000 after sold to an optimistic concern which smaller bids were made, on the Thames, and during the war When the lot had been knocked was bought by the Admiralty for down for \$83,800, it was announced service in the Persian Gulf. Getthat there had been a dispute as to ting her out there was a business, ownership and the land would be but by strengthening her decks and resold with \$83,800 as the upset keel with nine by nine timbers she price. 'Eventually, Messrs, Pun and her five consorts managed to Hi-ting and Li Sing-ku became the complete their long voyage with nothing more serious than one damaged air fan She did useful war work there, but there is little enough for her to do in peace time, and therefore she has been sold for Jone 4. Bill what she will fetch, one of the survivors of an unlucky enterprise.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AN PASSENGERS.

ERINA COLST, MTC. Waisbing. 19.—I.O.S.N. 22.-LO.S.N. Kwongsang. Liangehow. 32.—C.⊣N, 23.--E. A. Haiching. 24.—D. L. 26.--I.C.S.N.

ROJECTED DEPARTUREE

Boshu Maru. 26,-0.8.K. Liupgohow 20 -- C. N. Haifoong. 20.—D. L. Haiching. 24.-D. L. . 26.-O.S.K. Soshu Maru.

FOOCHOW: Halfoong. Takao. sold at the Apr. 28,-0. S. K. Soshu Maru.

SHANGHAL.

Norfelk Maru.

18.-N.Y.K. Waishing. 19.-LO.S.N. Empress of Russia. 19.-O.P.S. 19.—C. N. Sulyang. 20.-O. N. Kiungchow. 20.-I.C.S.N. Nameang. 21.-I.C.S.N Chuntang. 21.-C. N. Sinkiang. 22.—I.O.S.N. Kwongeang. 22.-O. N. ianachow. 23,-P. & O. Tyanza. Haruna Maru. 24.—N.Y.K. Taiyo Maru. 24.—T.K.K. 25.-P. M. Pres. Wilcon. 26.—I.C.S.N. Lopsang. City of Singapore.

28.-A. O. L Pres. Jefferson. 1.-N.Y.K Kaga Mary. Empress of Alis. 6.-P. & O. Sardinia. Kamo Maru. Pres. Lincoln Pres. Grant. 10.---A. O. L. 19.-N.Y.K. lyo Maru. 21:-T.K.K. Tenyo Maru. Pres. Madison. 22.—A.O.L.

25,→O. M. Vanking. Teirerias. Korea Maru. 2.—T.K.K. Pres. McKinley, Shinyo Maru. PUKOW: Apr. 22.-0, N.

CHEFOO. TIENTSIN. Apr. 18.-C. N. DALNY

Apr. 24.-J.C.J.L. Tiisondari. KEELUNG. Persia Maru. TSINGTAO.

PAKHOL. Tientsin. HAIPHONG. Tientsin. 20.—I.C.S.N. LOCKADE.

Hanyang Chinhus. Leesang.

BAIGON. Wingsang. Cadaretts. West Faralon. Lake Unawa. Doylestown. Murse.

Apr. 21-LO.S.N. Bintang. 30.--E. A. Banka: SINGAPORE.

18.-P. & C. Nankin. Chinhus. 20.—U. N. Glenade. 20.--G. L. 20.—B. F. Agapenor. 21.-B. I. Takada. 21.-C. N. Sinkiang. Himsleys Mart. 21.-O.S.K. 21.-P. & O. 23.-B. F. Demodocus. 22.-N.Y.K. Genos Maru. 23.-E. 4. Mishima Maru-25. N.Y.K. Sado Maru. 37.-N.Y.K. City of Poona. 1.-B. F.

Toucer. I.-U.8.8. West Fars on. 1.—N.Y.K. Yamagata Maru. 5.-N. L. Wetra. 7.-B. F. Mentor. Moji Maru. 7.-N.Y.K 9.-P. & O. Hakosaki Meru 9.-N.Y.K. Amazon Maru 11.-0.8.K. Indo Maro 18,--0,8.K Torilla. 18.—B.L. Perseus. 14. – B. F. Sondan. 10.—P. & O. Meriones. 20.-B. F. Nolous.

Automedon. Maleya Eumsous. Sardinia. 13.-P. & O. Dalta 90.—B. F. g.--B. F. 11.—P. & O.

Soudan.

LIVEDES.

MANICA Apr. 19.—A.O.Lc Pres. Jefferson 20.-LO.B.N. Yuensang. Rheinland 21.-H.A.L. Pres. Lincoln. 30.-P.M. Pros. Grant. 1.-A.O.L. West Jarklon. L--U.S.S.B. St. Albanu. Pres. Madison. 13.-A. O. L. Pres. Taft. 16.--- U.S.S.B. Mures. . Ermland. 26,--H. A. L.

SANDAKAN. Apr. 20.-I.O.S.N. Hinsang. JAYA PORTS, N.46. 25.-Nanyo Y.K. Cheribon Marn. Havo Maru. July 1,-T.K.K. , Raiyo Maru.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. WELL

INDIAN PORTS, BTC. CALCUITA. VIA RANGOOM). Apr. 18 .- LO.S.N. Takada. 24,-I.O.S.N. Kutsang. May 1.-N.Y.K. Yamagata Maru. 13.—B. I.

BOMBAY AND COLOMBO. . 21.-0.8.K. Himalaya Maru. 27.-N.Y.K Bado Maru. 3.-P. & O. Celebes Maru. 6.-O.B.K 7.-N.Y.K Moji Maru.

9.-P & O. **Eidderpore.** 16.-P. & O. Soudan. July 26.-P. & O. AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

BYDNEY AND MELBOURNE Yoshino Maru. Apr. 18.-N.Y.K. St. Albans. May C.-E. & A. Aki Maru. June 2.—E. & A. July 7.—E. & A. Eastern. Arafura. SIPAN PORTS.

Apr. 18.—C. M. Norfolk Maru. Empress of Russia. 20.-I.O.S.N. Nameang. 24.-N.Y.B. Baruna Maru. Taiyo Mara. Pres. Wilson. Pres. Jefferson. West Kader. 28.—I.O.S.N. City of Singapore. West Kader. 29.—Nanyo Y.K. Macastar Marc.

Persia Maru. Kaga Maru. 1.—N.Y.K. Karmaia. Empress of Alia. Phunko Maru. Fardinia. 8 **⊱**P &O. Kamo Maru. Pres. Lincoln. Pres. Grant. 10.—A.O.L. 12.-Nanyo Y.K. Bandoeng Maru. 16.—P. & O.

17.-N.Y.K. Targo Maru. Ivo Maru. -19.---N.Y.K. Tenyo Maru. 21.—T.K.K. 27.-A.O.L. Pres. Madison. Nanking. 30,-P. & O. Kashgar. Korea Maru. June 3,—T.K.K. Pres. McKinley

14. -T.K.K. Shinyo Maru. HONOLULU. Pres. Wilson. Pres. Lincoln. May 9.-P. M. Tenyo Maru. 21.--T.K.K. Nanking. June 3.-T.K.K. Korea Maru.

Shinyo Maru. EMERICAL PURTS.

vancouver etc. Apr. 19 .- C.P.B. Empress of Russia. Arizona Maru. 19.-O. S. K. 24.—B. T. Cyndareus. May 1.-N.Y.K. Kaga Maro Empressor Alis. 4.—C.P.S.

Protesilaus.

Harold Dollar.

19.—N.Y.K. vo Mart. June 12.—B. F. July 3.—B. F. Aug 14.-B. F. Protesilaus. Arizona Meru. Empress of Russia. 19, - O.P.G. 24.—B. F. May 1.—N.Y.R. Tyndareus. Kaga Maru-10.-A.O.L. Pros. Grant. Protesilaus. 15.—B. F.

15.—B. F.

17.-D. L.

Iyo Maru. Pres. Madison. 22.—A. O. Pres. McKinley. 3.-A O.L. Rhiloctete Aug 14.-B.-F. Protesilaus. Apr. 19.-0. 8. R. Arizona Maru. vndereus. Pres. Jefferson. 58.—A. O. L. May 10,-A. C. L. Pres. Grant. Protesilaus. 15.-B. V.

Harold Dollar. 17.—D. L. Ivo Maru. Pres. Madison. Pres. McKinley June 3 - 2 O. Anhilles. Jaly 8.- H. F. Philectetes. Protesilaus. Aug 14.-B. F. LOS ANGELES Talyo Maru. 24.-T.K.K.

Pres. Wilson. 25,-P. M. Pres. Lincoln. May 9 .- P. M. West Chopaka. Harold Dollay. 11.--U.S.S.R. 17.-D. L. 11.-T.K.K. Tenyo Maru, Nanking. Korea Maru. Shinyo Maru. June 3. T.K.K.

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RAY PERSON SALES ON BALES. OALGAO AMON DEPONDED IN

May 21.-D. L. Beiyo Maru. June 5 T.K.K. July 20. T.K.K. Rakuyo Maru. HAVANA NEW ORLEANS GALVEETON & MOBILE. Apr. 25 .- T. I. O. Victorious. May 5,-T. L.O. Narboro.

Harold Dollar.

18.-T. I. O. Ethan Allen. PORTLAND. Apr. 18 .- U.S.S.B. West Kader. MAY 15.—U.S.S.B. West Jessup. June 10.-U.S.S.B. Pawlet. NEW YORK. (VIA PANAMA)

· Victorious. (VIA BURE.) Apr. 19.—B. F. 25.—B. F. Karonge Diana Dollar. 28.—D. L. Coltic Prince. May 3 .-- P. L. Atrous. Werra. Dacre Castle. Hayo Maru. Eurylochus. Eastern Prince. 25.-B. P. City of Birmingham Jane B.-B. F. , B.-D. & Co. Kendal Cartle. City of Pittsburg:

July I,-T.K.K. Reivo Maru. BOSTON. Apr. 19:—B. F. 25.-B. F. Keronge. Diana Dollar. 28.-D. L. Celtic Prince. May, 3.-P. L. Atreus. 8.-D. & C Dacre Castle. Eurylochus. Eastern Prince. City of Birmingham. 25.—B. F. 5.-B, F. 8.-D. & Co. Kendal Castle.

City of Pittsburg. Reemun. BALTIMORE Apr. 22.-D. L. Diana Dollar. SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

DURBAN AND CAPETOWN (VIA SINGAPORE, BURNCE AIRES, RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS AND MAURITIUS. May 1,-0. S. K. Tacoma-Maru.

BARCELONA & VALENCIA Apr. 21.-H. L.L. Rheinland. May 26.—H.A.L. Ermland. BRINDISI. VENICE & TRIESTE Vanezia. Apr. 98.--L. T.

Nippon. June 5.-L. T. Apr. 20,-B. F. Agapener, Indien. 21,--- R. A. Diana Dollar. May 5.-N. L. Werrs. Glenariffe. Meriones.

Juna 20. -B. F. Phamius. MARSEILLES. Nankin. Apr. 18, -P. & U. Aganapor. Mishima Maru. 25.—N Y.K. Dians Dollar. 27.--D. L. 28,-E. L. City of Poons. May 1.-B. F. Tencer. 9.-P. & O Karmala. Hakozaki Maru. 16.-P. & O. Kasebar.... Meriones.

Nyanza. June 1.-B.F. Elpenor. 13.—P. & O. 20.—B. F. Phemius. Delta. 27.--P. & O. July 4.—B. F. Telemachus. Malwa. Devanha. Sarpedon.

22,-P. & O. Kashmir.

June 1.-B. F. CONDON.

Apr. 18.-B. F. Nankin. 18.-P. & O. 20.-G. L. Glenade. Demodocus. 23.—B. F. Mishims Maru 25.-N.Y.K City of Rooms. 28.—K. L. May 2.-P. & O. Karmala. Sicilia. Montor. 7.—B. F. Hakozaki Maru 9.-N.Y.K Amszon Maru. 11.-0. 8. K. Persous 14.—B. F.

Kashqar. 16.—P. & O. 19. -G. L. Glenogle 21.-B. F. Glaucus. Glenariffe. 25.-G. L. Bouden. 28.-P. & O Neleus. 28.—B. V. .Automedon. une 4.-B. F. Enmaeus. 11.-B. F. Sardinia. 12.-P. & O. Adrastus. Demodocas 19.—B. F. Tgiresias. 25. -B. F. 17:-P. & O. 30.—P. & O. Nyanza. Machaon. July 1.—R. F.

Rhesus. 9.-B. F. MAIWA. 11.-P& O. Troilus. 10.—B. F. 4.-B. F. Khiva. 21.—P. & O.

LIVERPOOL Apr. 20.—B. F. May 1.—B. F. Agapenor. 10 -R. B. June 1.-B. F. Telemechus.

Apr. 20.-G. L. Apr. 22.—E. A.
May 7.—R. F.
20.—E. A.
June 10.—E. A.
July 17.—E. A.
Ang. 17.—E. A.
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May 1.-B F. June L. B. J. 20.—B.F.

WHEN 2 AND 2 ARE 3

(By M. Ejiri, A Japanese Bank Clerk in London.)

My ambition in my boyhood was to be a kind of the "Château du Lion" in the Southern Sea (not the "Château de Chillon" in Montreux, which I visited last summer); and to marry a beautiful mermaid in the Mediterranean who would swim about in the water at night where the moon was at the full.

But, unfortunately for me, instead of this I was obliged to learn "bow to count figures" from my stupid school teacher, who only know that 2 and 2 are always 4; and never told me that the result should Leometimes be 3 or 51

,You see, there are only a few things which work out like arithmetic, and in the arithmetic of this world 2 and 2 are not always 4, and the result should be, rather, 8 or 5. But in most cases it is 3, and even in some cases only 1. But my teacher never taught me such results, as these, which will be found in the Arithmetic of life!

I had often thought that my father might know this and would teach me later on, but he died while I was very young, and my mother had a great respect for those worthy teachers! Alas! my dear mother also died some time after, and while I was wandering in London my fondly loyed younger brother and

sister died too. Do you still believe that 2 and, 2 are always 4? Then why did my .- . younger brother and sister die before me? Thus I missed the opportunity of

marrying a beautiful mermaid in the Mediterranean. However, I found a little girt who was born in the Inland Sea of

Japan and married her. I have no space here to tell you about the romance of my marriage, but I should like to say one thing. and that is that I was lucky in marrying a Japanese girl, not because I am a Japanese, but because I am not expected to take a cup of s

Also, I am not asked to help with housework as soon as I come home from the office.

tea to my wife in bed every morn-

ing or to tie her shoe laces in the

In the United States of America there is a very famous catch-phrase. "Safety, First," and this rule everything. So I was much interested in visiting America, even from that point of view. But on arriving at San Francisco I found out at once that before "Safety First" comes "Ladies First"! And it is the same in England.

. Of course, speaking generally, I do not think that most women are equal to men either intellectually or physically. So man realises that he must think of woman as a being who deserves and needs his help. But certainly it is not within her right to force him to help her.

As the Chinese saint Confucius said 3,000 years ago: "Women and little devils are hard to manage"!-Daily Mail:

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS

The B F. s.s. "Helenus." arrived at London en Apr. 15. The N. V. K. s.e. "Yeshino Meru! (Australian Line) left Nagasaki for Hongkong on Apr. 15 and is expected here on Anr. 19, The N.Y.K. s.s. "Katori Maru" (European Line) left London for Hongkong via bisrecilles and ports on Apr. 14 and is expected here on May 21.

AMSTERDAM. Apr. 18.-B. F.

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"Cherchezal femme" is the motto adopted by the police in their efforts to solve the mysterious murder of Earle Remington, wealthy clubman and aviator, whose body was found in the backyard of his home with two charges of buck-shot through the heart. Remington, who was separated from his wife; is known to have had a dozen affairs of the heart with other women. He feared for his life, and on the very night he was killed, had arranged to have a private detective guard him, but failed to meet the man who might thus have saved his life.



Alexander Barnes.

Alexander Barnes, noted exdeclares he has discovered a new giant volcano crater in the wilds of South Africa, Mr. Barnes has spent a considerable part of his life in the African, Congo, studying jungle life and habitation. Not the least thrilling of his experiences was an escape from death at the hands of a giant gorilla.



Miss Helen MCormick

For the first time, in the history plorer and big game hunter, of New York courts, and for the second time in American court annals, a woman attoracy is to defend a woman on trial for her life.. Former Assistant District Attorney Helen McCormick of Kings County, New York, has been retained to defend Mary Elizabeth Wells, indicted for the murder of her sweetheart, Captain James S. Pettitt.



Owing to the huge cost of maintaining the French Army in the Ruhr, France is paying \$450 a ton for German coal, which sells for \$20 a ton in France. Moreover she is getting truck loads where before she got train loads.



American woman legislator who takes practical agricultural experience into the legislature.



Dr. Grukmer, President of the Dusseldorf State, standing at the right, arrested by the French and later released. Dr. Grukmer, Dusseldorf politician is shown making a speech of protest to Dutch and German newspapermen, Seated in the centre is Dr. Meurer, the Mayor of Essen. This photograph was made in the room in the Essen Hall in which the former Kaiser held a council of war during the World War. French troops are shown guarding German trains.



"Air Mail Ace of Aces" who has carried the air mail a total distance of 146,629 miles, or nearly six times around the world, in three years and seven months.



Through an intricate tangle of labour trouble, drink, and gamble. ing Chicago police are trying to solve the mystery surrounding the killing of a man who was shot down where she is taking anindusin a restaurant, in the presence of trial welfare course, will return to scores of diners, by Daniel J. McCarthy, business agent of the Plumbers' Union.

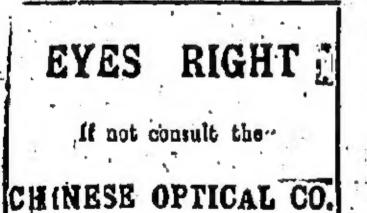


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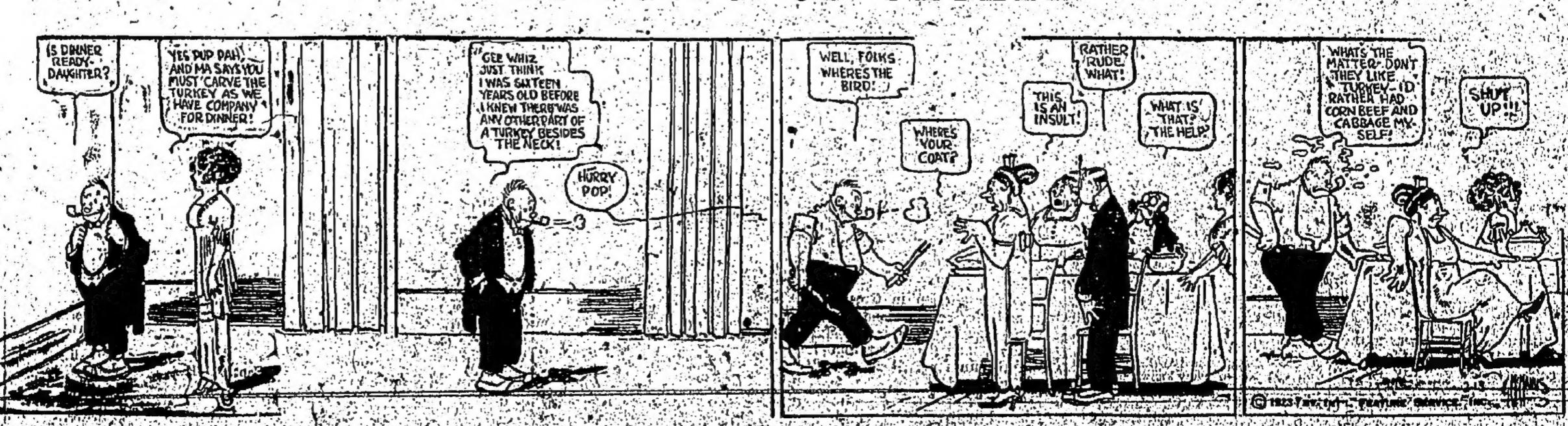
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BARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Renter's Service to the China Mail.) . THE RUHR OUTLOOK.

Panis, April 15th. The newspapers are unnuimous in their approval of Premier Poincaro's speech, which is regarded as strengthening his

declared that even these,-Great Britain sortium for an advance of \$2,000,000 They dwell on the passage wherein he and America-who differed from Franco monthly for aix months, for adas regards the advisability of her action, ministrative expenses; repayment were unable to avoid appreciating her to be made from the increased motives and recognising the legitimacy of tariff. gradual change of opinion in our fayour, throughout the United States and the whole of the British Empire, fresh proof of which M. Loucheur had received within the last few days, is certainly mostly due to our having known what we wanted, and placing our hand upon what; M. Bonar Law andly called, the jugular R. F. McNeill's reply in the House vein' of Germany." M., Poincare here of Commons on Murch 14, declares made a cordial gesture towards M. that while it is perfectly reasonable. Louchenr, who nodded his approval. The incident is commented on as disproving the reports regarding differences between M. Poincare and M. Loucheur.

BRITISH POLITICS.

Losnos, April 18th. The emphatic denial of Mr. Bonar Allies and neutrals. The Financial Law's early retirement, conjointly with News thinks that China would be playing tennis during the week-end, is well advised to consider whether in the announcement that the Premier was generally accepted as disposing of the her own interests the collection of reports regarding an early change in the the sum involved is worth the in-Premiership.

Morning Post, openly declare that the in the eyes of the world, and de-rumour has been fostered by partisans of clares that it learns that the attitude the Chalition and ex-Ministers, but most of Graneiers in America where of the new spapers, while not anticipating of financiers in America, where an early Cabinet crisis, recall Mr. Bonar Sino-German bonds were largely Law's statement, made in October, in purchased, is that the New York timating his intention of laying down market is closed to China as a office if his health became bad. They horrower until the bonds are paid dwell on the recent signs of lack of homo- The leader concludes by saying that the difficulty of reconciling "dichard," there is still time for a change, and ox-Coalitionist, and orthodox groups, and a return to the standards of political support the contention that Mr. Bonar and financial honour which China law is not likely to continue indefinitely enjoyed, before English investors in the Premiership.

AMERICAN INDUSTRY.

NEW YORK, April 15th. Messis. Armour's announcement that an increase in wages of ten per cent. will be granted to 200,000 of their employes, is the latest in the series of country-wide increases in wages of from ten to fifteen per cent, whereby Labour's threatened check to industrial expansion has been

Economists express surprise at the country's ability to absorb the present vast output of the steel mills, which are operating at ninety-three per cent, of

The wooden mills are working overtime, and the building trades are breaking records for activity, but the big test must come in the course of the year, when it will be seen whether the factories are piling up a surplus, or whether the record production continues to be absorbed by domestic demand, aided by the gradual betterment of foreign commerce.

COTTON TRADE OUTLOOK.

London, April 15th. A slight improvement was recorded last their opening performance with week in the Manchester cotton, trade. This has been accentuated within the past few days on acount of the broadening enquiry from India-and China, and the short time in the American section, respinners are reluctant to improve upon 9.15 p.m. in view of the uncertainty-of-the-weather. in the American cotton belt,

SUN'S SUPPORTERS AT FOOCHOW DISPERSED.

PERING, April 15.

General Sun Chuan Fang is reported to have arrived at Fooehow. The local Knomingtang forces (Sun Yat-sen's supporters) have been dispersed.

THE INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENT.

PERING, April 15. Tuh Si Kuci has wired to the Government saying that the navy at Fukien, Cheloo, and other ports have not joined the independence movement, adding that he will remain at his post in accordance with the wishes of the President and Premier.



nearly six months. The crown of my bead burned and damp. My hair came out in combfuls, and the irritation caused me many restless nights. "I was advised totry Cuticura Scap and Olntment and sent for a free sample. Afterafewdays' usothe burning peased. I bought more and after using one cake of Soap and one tin of Ointment I was healed." (Signed) William J. Thomas, 35, High St., Pembroka Dock, So. Wales, June 11, 1921.

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PERING, April 15. It is reported from Chinese that the Government is contemplating approaching the con-

SINO-GERMAN BONDS.

LONDON, April 15. A strongly consorious leader in the Financial News, based on Mr. to withhold payment of German bonds during wartime, many German bonds have been acquired by non-Germans during the past four years, therefore, to this extent China is collecting reparations, not from her late enemies, but from her calculable damage which the pre-The Government, organs, like the sent policy is inflicting on her credit were similarly turned away from China, -

SHADOWS BEFORE Coming Events Advertised In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENT'S.

April 17.-Coronet Theatre. "Too Much Business" Theatre; May MacAvoyin "Everything For Sale." Star Theatre; Charles Ray in "Crooked Straight," and at 9.15, p.m., only, Miss Lucy Sheimo in Characteristic Dances. April 17.-City Hall, Chamber of Commerce Room, Concert given by Miss May . Murkle and her assist-

ants, 5.30 p.m. April 17.-Musicale at the Helena May Institute, at 5.30 p.m. April 18.-Theatre Royal; Robert Courtneidge and W. E. Holloway's London Co., present

"If Four Walls Told," 9.15 p.m. April 19.—Theatre Royal; Robert Courtneidge and W. E. Holloway's-London-Co,-present "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray."

20.—Theatre Royal Robert Courtneidge and W. E. Holloway's London Co., present "Ambrose Applejohn's Adventure," at 9.15 p.m. 21.-Theatre Royal;

Robert Courtneidge and W. E. Holloway's London Co., present "The Man from Toronto," their farewell performance, 9.15 p.m. May 7.- Coronet at Government House in aid of welfare work 9.15 p.m.

SPORTING EVENT.

April 21.-21st annual athletic meeting of V.R.C. at Hongkong Football - Club Grounds, commencing at noon. May 5.-Second Gymkhana a Happy Valley.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

April 30.-Lammert Bros., their Sales Room, the wreck of the s.s. "Nichiren Maru," at noon. May 3.—Lammert Bros., valuable household property known as I Macdonell Road at Auctioneer

Office, 3 p.m. COMPANY MEETINGS.

April 21.-Thirty-fourth ordin ary general meeting of the Hong kong Electric Co., Ltd. at the Co. offices, St. George's Building,

11.30 a.m. · April 28.—Ordinary year meeting of shareholders of t Hongkong 'Hotel' Co., Ltd., at the Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Stree atri.30 a.m., and the twenty-eigh ordinary general meeting of shat holders of the Shanghai Hotel Ltd

nt same place, at noon." April 30.-First general meeting of the Hongkong Hide and Leath Co., Ltd. at 67/69, Des Voeux Roa Central, at 12 noon.

April 18.-Monthly meeting the Marine Engineers Guild China at Sailors' Home, 5 p.m.

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5. Force or Wind, according by Beadford Scale.

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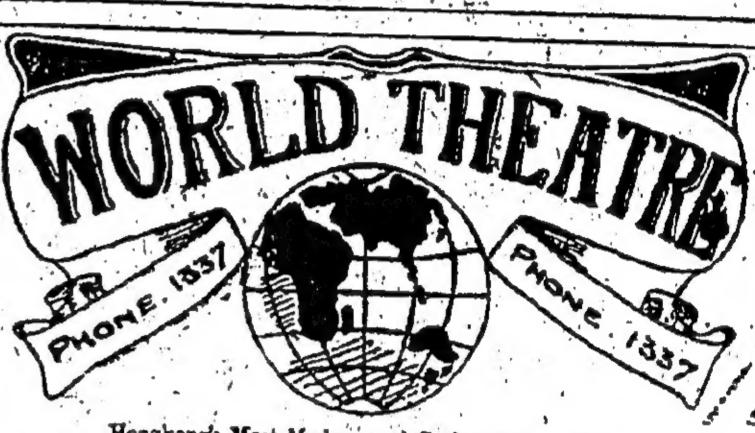
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